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SADLER IS THE MAN

Whitechapel Women Say He Is the Mysterious Jack the Ripper.

THE POLICE TAKE EXTRAORDINARY PRE-CAUTIONS TO PREVENT A LYNCHING.

The Blood-Stained Knife and Clothing Examined by the Police Surgeon-No Doubt That Sadler Is the Murderer of "Carroty Nell"-History of the White chapel Tragedies.

The Whitechapel Tragedy.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The latest discovery made by the police in connection with the chapel murder bids fair to connect the man Sadler, now in custody; with this "Jack he Ripper" crime. The police now have in of having recently been washed. The blood stains were examined microscopically by Dr Phillips, the police surgeon attached to the Leman Street Police Station. Dr. Phillips has no doubt that the stains are those of human to the possession of Sadler, who, as already stated, was a fireman on board a steamer which recently arrived from Turkey. The police have no doubt that Sadler was the

WANT TO LYNCH HIM. From the time that it became known tha sadier had been arrested and was formally charged with the murder of "Carroty Nell" greatest excitement has prevailed in and about whitechapel. The police station where the prisoner is detained is surrounded by a vast crowd of people, mostly women. The women are eager for a sight of the prisoner. wild threats of lynching and tearing the prisoner to pieces were uttered by the most excited of these females. When the man was removed to the police court an immense force of police was employed and every precaution was necessary in order to prevent the White-chapel mob from lynching the blood-stained prisoner. Opinions differ as to whether the man charged with the murder of "Carroty Nell" is the murderer known as "Jack the Ripper." The inhabitants of Whitechapel elieve that he is, but the police have no ted themselves to an opinion on the

The first of what have now become famous as the "Whitechapel murders" occurred late in 1887 in that section of London where the scum of the vile dens of vice are turned loose upon the streets when the police close the brothels at early morning, and the float-ing population of criminals and fallen women continue their reveis undis-turbed. Although the first victim of the unknown fiend was a woman of the lowest class, and her body was mutilated in the same shocking manner that has character ized the recent murders, nothing more than a passing notice was given this affair by the police. A murder was no uncommon occur-rence in Whitechapel, and the very fact that the victim was a blear-eyed, gin-soaked "unthe victim was a blear-eyed, gin-soaked 'un-fortunate' led the authorities to believe that she had quarreled with one of her own assodrunken quarrel had ended there before. The drunken quarrel had ended there before. The policeman on post was closely questioned, his immediate superior viewed the remains, and the Coroner observed that the crime was one of shocking brutality. The London press commented a little, the case dropped by the police, and the first of the Whitechapel

rs passed out of mind. On Tuesday, Aug. 7, the body of Martha Turner, a hawker, was found lying upon the first floor landing of the dwellings sknown as George-Yard buildings, Commercial street, Spitafields, Whitechapel District. The preous day was what is known as "Bank Holi thous day was what is known as "Balth Roll-day," and it was late in the evening that day that the murder was committed. When the lifeless body was found it was horribly mutlated after the manner of the first victim. The hand of the murderer was clearly seen to be the same in both cases. As nearly as the college could determine, both women, had police could determine, both women had been seized from behind by a powerful arm and their throats cut by a swift stroke from some razor-edged knife., Such was the force of this death-blow and such was the keenness of the weapon that the head was almost severed from the body, and the knife had even left its imprint upon the bone at the back of

THE FIEND'S GHASTLY WORK.

But more remarkable than the ghastly work
at the throat was the discovery that the woman had received no less than thirty-nin distinct, deep and clear-cut stabs upon vari t, deep and caer-cut stats upon vari-ties of her body. From these wounds od had poured forth, saturating her and covering the steps on she lay with a slippery of coagulated blood. Ex amination of the body revealed the same in amination of the body revealed the same in-describable mutilation of the uterus that had marked the first murder. The underclothing had been thrown roughly up over the shoulders and a jagged wound crossed the bowels, laying bare the intestines. A portion of the woman's body had been cut out with the nicety and skill of a surgeon's knife, leaving only a quivering and bleeding aperture. A part had been removed, as in the case of the first murder, and the police jumped to the conclusion that the murderer had saved this part for an enterprised collection. Several friends of the

anatomical collection. Several friends of the victims were arrested and held for the cor-oner, but little was found that cast any light

known as Polly, an outcast. The brutality of this murder is beyond conception and beyond description. The throat was cut in two description. The throat was cut in two gashes, the instrument having been a sharp one, but used in a most feroclous and reckless way. There was a gash under the left ear, reaching nearly to the center of the throat. Along half its length, however, it was accompanied by another one which reached around under the other ear, making a wide and horrible hole and nearly severing the head from the body. The ghastliness of this cut, however, paled into insignificance alongside the other. No murder was ever alongside the other. No murder was ever more! "ociously and more brutally done. The kni which must have been a large and sharp o was jabbed into the deceased at the low of the abdomen and then drawn uses twice. It was clearly evident that dent that harder was committed some distance from the place where the body was found. This was in Buck's Row, about midway down its length. Buck's Row is a short street occupied half by factories and half by dwellings. by dwellings. Half-way down the street is the house of Mrs. Green. Next to it is a large stable-yard, whose wide, closed gate-way is next to the house. In front of the way is next to the house. In front of the gate-way the woman was found. Constable Neill, who was the first policeman to see the body, immediately after awoke the Green family and asked them if they had heard any unusual noise. Neither Mrs. Green, her son,

nor her daughter, all of whom were sleeping within a few feet of where the body lay, had heard any outcry. All agreed that the night was unusually quiet. On the night of the murder she was turned out, as she had no money. She was 42 years

been found. The victim was lying in the back yard of 29 Hanburg street, Spital-fields. She was Annie Chapman, otherwise known as Annie Slevy. She lived at 35 Dorset street, Spitalfields. She was forty-five years old. She was last seen at a public house called the Ten Balls, drinking. The body is described as follows by one of the witnesses before the Coroner: Her throat was cut from ear to ear. Her clothes were pushed up above her waist and her legs were bare. The abdomen was exposed, and the woman had been ripped up from groin to breastbone. The viscera was scattered in all directions, the heart and liver being placed at the victim's

On the wall near by was written in chalk.

FIVE-15 MORE AND THEN I GIVE MYSELF UP. The police had evidently failed to find one

The fifth murder, according to the police The first murder, according to the ponce records, was committed on Saturday night, Sept. 23, 1888. The body of a woman, an "unfortunate," was found at Gateshead, near Newcastle-on-Tyne. Although Gateshead is so far from London, the similarity of this crime in all respects to the other murders had induced the belief among many that the same unknown flend performed it. Whether or not it be true that the White hapel brute reached so far from the scen of his other crimes as Gateshead, it is cer-tainly worth attention from the fact that the mutilation of this victim is identical with the of the others. The throat was cut with long clean sweep of some exceedingly sharp weapon, the clothing was thrown up over the victim's head and the same organ was found to have been removed as before.

The sixth woman was found Sunday mora-

ing, Oct. 1888, in a dark corner of Mitre and the warm blood pouring in torrents upon the pavement. The deed had been just com-mitted, and the flend who wielded the knife ad probably been surprised at his bloody ork. In Berners street, the same morning, roman's body was found with the throat cu the trunk butchered and the viscera crowded not the gaping wound in the neck. These two atroclous murders are attributed to the mysterious Whitechapel field. The police could not locate him and have no idea of the perpetrator of the deeds. They had a queer character nicknamed "Leather Apron" ander suspicion, because he was known to carry a large knife in a belt, and because too, he was for a time missing. They are rested a German, named Ludwig, because he ad threatened to kill a prostitute in White chapel and drew a long knife with which to carry his threat into execution. We searched a razor and a pair scissors were found in his pock The prisoner could not speak English, and had been a resident of the city for only three months. He was subsequently re-leased. A fellow named Fitzgerald gave himself up to the police and confessed to the murder of Annie Chapman, but investigaion proved that Fitzgerald was simply bid

ling for notoriety. Mrs. Mary Jane Lawrence was found Nov 9, 1889, her head nearly cut off, her breast cut off, her heart and liver missing, and the natrix missing. On June 25, 1889, the last piece of the body of Elizabeth Jackson, portions of which were found on May 31, was discovered. On July 17, 1889, Alice Makinzie, alias Kelly, was found in Castle alley dead, her body still

warm, The body was only partially mudi-ated, the murderer evidently not having time to complete the job.
On. Sept. 10, 1889, a headless trunk of a wo
man was found at the corner of a railway
arch on Cabel street, Whitechapel, in a sack
The arms and head had been cut off and car to complete the job.

ried away. The intestines lay on the ground The woman had been dead at least two days and the flesh was putrifying. Her clothing vas identified as that of Ladia Hart, a woman well known in that locality.

The thirteenth murder was committed last
Friday, Carroty Nell was the victim. Her

oody was found under an archway in Swallow If the legend quoted above was written by the man who has been dubbed "Jack the Ripper," he expected to kill two more women before surrender.

HE DID NOT RUN AWAY.

Peoria, Ill.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 16.-President Greenhu f the Whisky Trust says that he has positive nowledge that Secretary Gibson is still in eoria. He says that he yesterday receive from Gibson a bundle of papers postmarked t Peorla. Greenhut stated that Gibson vould probably be here to attend the meet ng to-day, which will be nothing more tha business meeting.

The directors of the Whisky Trust held their regular monthly meeting at the Auditorium Hotel this morning. The principa work before them, after the disposition of or linary routine business, was the preparation of a statement for the public ng the position of the regarding the charges against George J. Gibson and the alleged conspiracy to injure the Shufeldt Distillery. The report will not be ready until this evening. It is known, however, that it will exonerate Gibson and

however, that it will exonerate Gibson and will make an emphatic denial of any desire or intention upon the part of the trust to injure Mr. Shufeldt or his distillery. In substantiation of this denial the report will contain a statement of the trust's business, showing why the removal of the Shufeldt distillery would e of no advantage to it. It will also be hown that the famous satchel was out of fibson's possession for at least five hours, resident Greenhut and Vice-President Woolner said to a reporter this morning that Gibson was still in Peoria, and that all reports to the contrary were foolish. They declared that he was there, to their certain knowledge, last night. Gibson would make no effort to escape. The Directors of the whisky trust would, they declared, do as much or more than anybody else to sift the alleged conspir acy to the bottom. The Whisky Trust at it, meeting this morning declared its usua monthly dividend of one-half of 1 per cent.

monthly dividend of one-nan or a personal GIBSON AT PEORIA.

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 16.—George Gibson, Secretary of the Whisky Trust, is in this city, or at least his wife acknowledged that he was here about noon. She remarked to a lady in a dry goods store this morning that he re-

Flourished a Revolver. Fred Wells was on a glorious old tear last ight. About 8 o'clock he staggered into the boarding-house kept by Zach Hebenstrut, at 700 South Third street, and flourished a loaded revolver with the air of a Territory cov-puncher. He announced that he could make any man in the house kneel on his own hat and it made no differ-ence to him whether the tile was own hat and it made no difference to him whether the tile was slik, satin or slouch. Hebenstrut stood all this, but when the intruder playfully pulled his beard he waxed wroth and called in an officer. In the First District Police Court today Wells told a "first offense" story and begged to be allowed to go to work and pay off a board bill. The Court insisted that he first square his account with the city and assessed him \$25 for disturbing the peace and \$30 for carrying concealed weapons.

READ the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH. It ste

PADLEWSKI DEAD.

Bulgarian Report That His Body Was

HORRIBLE FATE OF THE ALLEGED MUR. DERER OF GEN. SELIVERSKOFF.

The Body Partially Devoured By Wolves and Identified by Documents Found on It-The Killing of Seliverskoff in Paris and Futile Efforts to Capture His Mur-

SOFIA, Feb. 16 .- A Bulgarian newspaper ays that the body of Padlewski, charged with the murder of Gen. Seliverskoff in Paris, has een found, half devoured by wolves, beween Philippopolis and Zazadlik. The body, the paper says, was identified by document

Padlewski, a Polish refugee in Paris, killed Gen. Seliverskoff, a Russian official residing in Paris on official business. Padlewski was enabled to escape by M. Gregorie, a French journalist, who was sent to jail for four months for assisting him to get away.

een caused in this city to-day by a daring bank robbery committed in broad daylight A stylishly dressed man accosted in the Na ional Provincial Bank of England, No. 11 Bishopgate, within a block from the London branch of the Bank of Scotland, the clerk from the last-mentioned bank, who was standing at the public counter of the National Provincial Bank in the act of making a de an accomplice of the stylish stranger, snatched from the clerk a wallet containing bonds and checks representing many thou sands of pounds and ran out of the bank. He has not been captured.

THE GORDON-CUMMING SCANDAL. LONDON, Feb. 16.—other questions relative to the Prince of Wales' connection with the Gordon-Cumming gambling scandal will be asked in Parliament, and they will not be ad-dressed to Home Secretary Matthews, who nswered to the first that the law agains rambling had not been violated. The attack of course, cannot be joined in by such prom-ment Liberals as Mr. Gladstone, Sir William Harcourt, Sir Geo. Trevelyan and others, but will be made by Radicals and non-conformists who regard the Prince as the highest public officer, and are determined that his conduct shall not pass unrebuked. The Prince is field marshal of the army, colonel-in-chief of three regiments of the Life and Royal Horse Guards, etc., and army regulations prohibit officers from playing for money. Hon. Edward Stanhope, Secretary of War, will be an pealed to for action on this point. He is a brother of Earl Stanhope, dependent upon royal favor for his future, is a thorough-going aristocrat, and in a military sense is the su-perior of the Prince. He will have to answer the query as to the Prince's violations of

news from Honolulu that the preparations ship Charleston were changed to those for his funeral. The Charleston came into port with the Hawaiian and American colors at half-mast; business houses, schools, Gover taken ashore. The guard of honor was composed of sailors from the flagships Charles ton, U. S. S. Mohican and H. M. S. Nymph, and a band playing a funeral march headed the procession which formed and moved to the royal palace. Dowager Queen Kapiolani and Queen Lilliukalini appeared on a balcony as the cortege passed and were the thron Liliukalini Queen of the Hawaiian Islands, with the title of Liliukalini. The body lay in with the theor landarin. The body lay in state until Sunday, Feb. 5, when it was buried with due pomp in the cemetery. The present Cabinet will, with the approval of the Legislature, remain in power until 1892. It is thought that R. Wilcox will be appointed Chamberlain. Resolutions of thanks to the United States, to California and to Admiral were passed at a mass m

SUAKIM, Feb. 16.—The Egyptian troops are oncentrated at Trinkitat, Small parties have been seen hovering around El Teb though it is known that the main body o Osman Digna's troops remains at Tokar. The Egyptian troops will advance to-morrow and occupy and entrench El Teb.

The Brazilian Election.

RIO JANEIRO, Feb. 16 .- In the Assembly the constitution has passed its second reading.
The election for President of the Republic will
be held immediately. The leading candidates be held immediately. The leading candidates for the Presidency are Gen. Da Fonseca, Chief of the Provisional Government, and Senhor Moraes, Governor of the Province of

HENRY G. SOULARD DEAD.

A Resident of This City for Ninety Years
Passes Peacefully Away.

Henry G. Soulard, one of the oldest if not the oldest inhabitant of St. Louis, died at his ne, 1708 South Twelfth street, this morn-He was 90 years of age, and lived in city continually since his individuals who connect the early history of this city with the days of 1800, when this por-tion of the United States was under the rule of the King of France. His father was Anlowed the profession of his father, that of a soldier in the French army, and became a lieutenant. In 1794 Antoine Soulard came to this city and was made "king's surveyor" for the city of St. Louis and Upper Louisiana. He held the office until 1804 when the United States bought the territory from France. He married a Miss Julia Cerre of this city, the youngest daughter of Gabriel Cerre, and three sons and one daughter were born to them. Henry G. Soulard was the only remaining son of the family before his death. He was born in May, 1801, and passed all his life here. born in May, 1801, and passed all his life here. He was the last survivor of those who were born in St. Louis before the transfer of this territory to the United States. In 1833 he married a Miss Lane, daughter of Dr. Harvey Lane of the city of Ste. Genevieve. Miss Lane was the grand-daughter of Col. John F. Hamtramk of the Revolutionary Army, in his lifetime Colonel of the old First Regiment, United States Incontrol to the proper regiment of the States Infantry, the pioneer regiment of the West, which built up Fort Harmer at Marietta, O., in 1787, and several other early forts. Col. Hamtramk died in Detroit in 1808.

when still a young man and spent the greater part of his time in life looking after his property. He was not engaged in any business in particular. He became an invalid a number of years ago and retired from active life. His family connections in this city are quite ex-

REV. FREDERICK LACK'S WILL.

Division of the Late Provident Association Rev. Frederick Lack's will was probated t

daughter, Mrs. Maggle A. Gilson, will take the house 2607 Wash street and 2606 and 2606½ Mill street. The balance of his estate is to be divided between the two children.

John O'Connor's Oysters.

L. Fehringer is plaintiff and John O'Conno

s defendant. In Division No. 3 there is pend

ng application for a writ of mandamus on

edings: an unpaid bill for oysters eaten b

O'Connor. The oyster bill was contracted by O'Connor, as he alleges, during his minor

uted in said Justice of the Peace Court with

In Division No. 1 of the Circuit Court ther

ensive.

Arrangements for the funeral have not as yet been made. Found Near Philippopolis.

wife for life. On the death of his wife his farm in Jefferson County, Mo., two and one-half miles north of Hillsboro, and the houses 6718, 8720 and 87202. Kossuth avenue go to his son, Finis E. Lack. At the same time his

Justice Kane to compel him to issue an exe-cution on a judgment obtained by Fehringe against 0 'Connor in June, 1890. The same cause of action is at the basis of both pro-LONDON, Feb. 16.-A decided sensation has by O'Connor, as he alleges, during his minority. He was then living with his father on North Twelfth street, and playing a little ball. In 1890 he was playing with the Athletics and while here with the club Fehringer brought suit on the oyster bill. O'Connor claims he had no knowledge of the suit and when he was made aware of it by an attempt to levy on his salary to satisfy a judgment obtained on his default, he showed to the justice that he had not been served and the execution was recalled and quashed. Subsequently another suit was brought and another judgment entered on the same bill. From osit of money. When spoken to by the tranger the clerk turned toward him and re-lied to his question. While the conversan was going on a man, who was evidently judgment entered on the same bill. From this second judgment an appeal was taken to the Circuit Court. Fehringer was served with a notice of appeal, and has filed a return in which he says "that this suit was insti-

out his knowledge or authority or consent, and he, said Fehringer, has never, either in person or by agent or attorney, appeared therdin or took any action whatever in furtherance thereof. • • • The present proceeding was instituted by materials and actions are the said to the present proceedings was instituted by materials. eding was instituted by mistake or un authorized act of some person or persons unknown to him, said Febringer, who hereby disclaims any and all interest in or connec-tion with the same." without prejudice or cost to him. O'Connor's attorney claims that the bill was not for oysters, but for beer and whisky furnished O'Connor's companions and billed under the guise of bivalves to evade a provision of law The matter was heard in Division No. 1 thi John B. Dempsey, amicus curiae, to who vas referred the petion of J. M. McElfatrick

The Late King Kalakava

Clure for a pro forms decree of incorporation under the name of the Congress club, this morning filed his report in Division No. 1 of the Circuit Court. The amicus curie recommends the granting of the decree. The objects of the club are "to promote literature, music and art, and to secure a closer union and co-operation of curvelyes and these SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16 .- The steamer Ala which arrived here yesterday, brought union and co-operation of ourselves and thos who may associate themselves with us, wit way to welcome King Kalakaua on his ted arrival from the United States flagview to a broader and higher culture nutual mental and social improvement, to assist the sick and disabled members of our association and to obtain and enjoy a place of common and frequent intercourse with each other and with all the rights and privileges and franchises of law pertaining to such body politic." Cecelia E. Lucke to-day asked the Circui Court to divorce her from John W. Lucke, to whom she was married Oct. 28, 1875, in Pal-myra, Marion County, Mo. She alleges that on Jan. 12, 1890, he abandoned her and has since remained away. She asks for the cusody of their three children, a part of he nusband's \$3,000, and also a part of his salary of \$50 per month. Sedena Schnitzer sued Fedling Schnitzer for ivorce. They were married Aug. 1, 1888, and parated Jan. 27, 1891. She charges him with cicking her, with stating in the presence others that he was not lawfully married

Sued for Possession. Rufus U. Leonori sued Flora de Spain to-da:

in the Circuit Court to recover furniture de tained in the house 2702 Pine street, of the

Want Divorces

M. K. & T. Consolidation.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 16 .- President Nettleton of the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Mem-phis Railway has determined to consolidate his road with the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway, which is to be disposed of by the ceivers in May. With this consolidation, connections are made with the Burlington, a short line to Chicago is secured. It is also proposed to secure an independent line for this combination from Birmingham, Ala., to the seaboard. President Sparta of the Georgia, Fiorida & Southern will attempt a consolidation with the Seaboard & Roanake systems. This will give Mr. Nettleton two seaboard terminals, one at Sayanaph and aboard terminals, one at Savannah and the other at New Orleans. These purchases and arrangements have been hastened be cause Mr. Gould has secured a controlling in terest in the Richmond Terminal.

A Fractured Jaw Bone.

Thomas Scruggins carried a bandaged jav into the First District Police Court this morning, where he appeared to answer to a charge of vagrancy. Scruggins has a reputacharge of vagrancy. Scruggins has a reputa-tion in police circles as a bad negro. On the 8th inst., Officer Schleifstein of the Central District, arrested the man forflottering. Scruggins resisted and in the scuffle which ensued, sustained a fracture of the left jaw bone. He has been in the City Hospital since. Now he will spend a few weeks at the Work-house. Judge Cady having imposed upon him a fine of \$50 and costs.

The following quotations were made

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The Democrats Confident That He Will

PREPARATIONS MADE TO CELEBRATE THE EVENT ON A GRAND SCALE.

The Republicans to Take Up Moore-Indi day. He gives his personal property to his wife absolutely; his real estate goes to his cations That the Latter Has the Sens torial Bee in His Bonnet-Hutchinson Boom Dies Early-The Arkansas General Assembly-Important Bills.

> SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 16.-The great sen sation regarding the South Dakota-Illinois trade in United States Senators has not yet materialized. The proposition of the new State to come here and make a contract with the F. M. B. A. members in the House to elect Gen. Palmer, on an agreement to send a farmer Senator from Dakota, does not seen to infatuate the General to any great degree He is scrupulously honest in politics as well as in everything else, and has never been known to go into any such deal for the pur-pose of gaining a political advantage for him-

The delegation was expected here on Fri day, but up to date nothing further has been condition of the F. M. B. A. party here within the past week have put a different phase up on the situation, and it hardly appears plain now how a deal of that kind could be easily worked. The impression is that the Dakots nen will not make the effort.

States Army, has been here for a few Ostensibly he is in this of the world to attend the wedding of his son in St. Louis. At all events he is giving the noble red man of the plains a much needed rest, and taking a little of the same himself. Casually, however, it is aileged | he has modestly suggested the name of his doughty brother, Col. Clark E., as a happy compromise. It is good opinion, however, that the valiant Indian whipping Colonel may better leave his brother. Clark to

fly to things he knows not of.

The Colonel is not in it. Gov. Dick Oglesby is also no more in the swim. The tin when he could have withdrawn with 100 votes the full strength of the Republican party, but the old man was too ambitious; he staid in and lost his ante, and will now be shut out the Republicans will never unite on him

Dr. Moore said last night that his prospect of election were very good. When asked if he expected to receive any Democratic votes he said that if he should the public would hear of it. Representative Mitchell is better to-day. He is suffering from catarrhal fever

to-day. He is suitering from catarraal fever instead of pneumonia. His physicians assert that he will be around Tuesday. T. W. Hutchinson, a former Republican, and W. E. Coivin, a former Democrat, came here yesterday to urge the election of Moore. Mr. Hutchinson says that if Moore cannot be elected by well secretice himself for his porter. elected he will sacrifice himself for his party

DEMOCRATS CONFIDENT.

There is a feeling of confidence at the headquarters of the Democratic State Central Committee this morning that Palmer trai committee this morning that Palmer will certainly be elected this week and preparations have been made on an extensive scale for the celebration of the event. The demonstration will probably be delayed for a few days after the election in order that certain prominent persons may have time to get here. Mr. Cleveland has been invited and, it is said, has accepted. The Cook County Marching Club is under marching orders and ready to move at an hour's notice. They are to come by the finest special train and most handsomely decorated engine that ever ran through the State of Illinois. Other clubs and bands in different parts of the State have been notified and will be in readiness to start. The Republicans, according to the present programme, will probably take up Mr. Moore the early part of this week. The Democrats that this should be done, so that Mr. Moore may see the insincerity of the Republicans in their protesses may see the insincerity of the Republicans in their pretenses of favoring an F. M. B. A. candidate. Many of the Repub-licans state openly that on account of the World's Fair Illinois needs a strong man in the United States Senate and would much prefer Palmer to any one now before the co vention from their side of the House. Mr. T. W. Hutchinson, the old law partner of State Treasurer Wilson, an attorney, and yet it seems a strong F. M. B. A. man and a Republican, slid out this morning as quietly as he slipped in Saturday night. He was ac panied by Mr. W. T. Calvin, also of Olney. As already stated, Mr. Hutchinson was un-derstood to have come up in the interest of Mr. Moore and had a long conference with moore and and a long conference with him yesterday. But it seems plain this morn-ing that Mr. Hutchinson was here expressly and exclusively for Mr. Hutchinson. He thought he would drop in and fix the matter up with a few Republicans and, keeping en-tirely out of sight, return home and nobody would know anything about it until he should be elected. He was cunning enough to pump Mr. Moore and get all of his plans in regard to the lay of the political land. Mr. Moore and his colleague, Mr. Cockrell, are at outs; they do not speak as they pass by. Mr. Cockrell is reported as saying: "I am in receipt of letters from Democrats saying that if I vote with the Republicans they will know that I have been bribed and from Republicans saying that if I vote with the Democrats they will know I have been bribed, and from the F. M. B. A. saying that if I vote with either of the other parties they would know anything about it until he shou

if I vote with either of the other parties they will know I have been bribed, and I can never make them believe anything else. I'm in a bad fix. If you could get the fool ideas out Moore's head so that he would know what to do I would be satted. He has a rollitical thread tied to his isfied. He has a political thread tied to his

isfied. He has a political thread tied to his person and when any one pulls on it he follows when, if he would stand stanch like a man the thread would snap."

There is no doubt now that Cockrell is safe for Palmer. He has a mind of his own and will have the courage and the principle to do what he thinks is right. In the joint convention this morning nineteen members of the

Stelle.

PALMER SURE.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 16.—William F. Tuttle, Speaker of the House, arrived here from Springfield, Ill., this afternoon. He gives it as his opinion that Palmer will undoubtedly be elected to morrow or next day. He says that Cockrell is for him now, and that as soon as Moore is convinced that he cannot himself be elected Senator, he will be willing to vote for Palmer.

The Legislatures.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 16 .- T. J. Gaughan of Ouachita, recently elected to fill the un-expired term in the Senate of the late W. R. Hardy, who died about two weeks ago, was sworn in this morning. The Senate spent all of the morning discussing the bill providing for a constitutional convention to be held the first Monday in December. At noon the bill passed by a vote of 14 to 12.

ceived from Benton, Ouachita, Columbia, Prairie, Sebastian and Crawford counties protesting against the passage of the bill regulating rates of telephone and telegraph companies. Mr. Evans presented a petition from the State Farmers' Alliance indorsing the memorial asking Congress to Gonate to the State the Arsenal property that a reformatory school may be Be Elected This Week. erty that a reformatory school

> erected thereon.
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> Mr. White introduced a concurrent resolution instructing the Investigating Committee to report to their respective houses not later than 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, all the testimony so far taken, which tends to show that ex-Treasurer Woodruff ever loaned any public funds to any person or converted or any lic funds to any person or converted or ap-plied any such funds to his own use or bene-fit. Each House unanimously adopted the

resolution.

The bill abolishing mortgages on growing crops was amended, fixing 1894 as the time when the law shall go into operation and was made the special order for Wednesday. Many of these mortgages are held by wholesale grocers and cotton buyers in St. Louis.

CRIMINAL MATTERS.

Mrs. McCabe Recaptured.

Corpus Christi, Tex., Feb. 15.—Mrs. Mc-Cabe, who shot and killed Judge Max Stein in defense of her honor, as she claims, and who recently escaped from the Matamoras Jail, is here. Her escape was effected Feb. 4, and it is a part of the siege of suffering she has undergone since she was arrested for killing her assailant. She was tried, but the result was withheld from her, and pending its announcement she secured a room fon the second floor of the prison by paying \$20 for a special guard furnished by the Mexican Government. One night when this guard thought. in defense of her honor, as she claims, and special guard furnished by the Mexican Government. One night when this guard thought she was asleep he left the jail, and she took from her trunk a knotted rope, and tying it to the bedstead attempted to lower herself to the ground, a distance of sixteen feet. She was too weak after her long confinement to support her weight and she fell. Two bones in her right foot were broken and another was driven through the bottom of her foot. In this condition she crawled to the river, seven blocks away, where a boat was awaiting per. locks away, where a boat was awaiting ber and crossed to Brownsville. There she was kept until last Sunday night when she was placed on a fast horse and accompanied by Dr. Headly, she rode to Alice, a distance of 130 miles. She tells a terrible story of prison life in Mexico and dreads her return. Her attorneys say she cannot be extradited.

ALBANY, Ga., Feb. 16 .- Nick Mason, a 14 year-old boy, yesterday told the story of how George Mason, ten days ago on the seclude farm on which they lived, known as the Crawford place. The boy says his parents quarreled, and Mason led his wife out, telling her he was going to kill her. He then struck her in the head with an ax and buried her in a spot where the ground was soft, and the dirt would not conceal the body, so he covered the body with pine brush and threw the dirt on that. The boy led the way to his mother's grave. George Mason left after the murder and has not been seen since.

The Cowles Murder.

CLARK's, Neb., Feb. 16 .- The mystery sur rounding the murder of Mrs. Cowles, wife of the President of the Pacific Bank, at her ome in the suburbs, is still causing much excitement. The Coroner's jury returned a verdict that she met her death at the hands of unknown persons. Some damaging evi-dence was placed in the County Attorney's hands, to be used if some citizens will sign it,

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 16 .- A. T. Tieder man, an ex-policeman, was arrested last night on the complaint of a countryman who charged that some time ago when he was in the city Tiedeman arrested him, took him into an alley, where he searched him and re-lieved him of his money, then let him go. Tiedeman has dismissed the force for kissing Tiedeman as dismissed the negro girls while on duty.

A New Swindle.

VANDALIA, Ill., Feb. 16 .- A gang of swindsenting themselves as painters. They agree to paint a dwelling for \$5, and when the job is finished present a bill for a number of galons of paint at so much a gallon with a contract which they claim gives them the right to go to law to collect it. The victim gener-ally pays to avoid trouble.

ELIZABETHTOWN, Ill., Feb. 16.-Marsh Angleton was waylaid and shot in Rock Creek Precinct of this county yesterday. This is the second attempt made on Angleton's life His stepson is now awaiting trial for attempting to kill him last summer. The charge yesterday took effect in his right side and he is not expected to recover.

A Saloon Tragedy.

PINE BLUFF, Ark., Feb. 15 .- Gus Green went into John Singleton's saloon yesterday morning to get a drink. Geo. Black, the barkeeper, refused to give it to him because he had enough. Green got ugly and attacked Block with a knife. Block picked up a revol-ver and fired three times, killing Green in-

Deputy County Clerk Indicted.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 16.—Deputy County Clerk E. W. Clauston was indicted Saturday on forty counts by the Grand-jury for 'obtaining money under ffalse pretenses within the past five years. Clauston has appropriated to his individual use \$40,000.

Charged With Forgery. Macon, Mo., Feb. 16.-Alfred Tyson, living n Mound Grove Township, was arrested yes-

terday for forging his mother's and sister's names to a note for \$250. The forgery was committed a year ago, but was not discovered until the note became due. Caught in a Snow-Slide. TELLURIDE, Colo., Feb. 16.-Henry Gregory

aged 16; Charles Gregory, aged 12, and Wm. Bonner, aged 14, were caught in a snow-slide

of the San Miguel yesterday and Wm. Bonner was killed. The snow had become packed over the boy before the body was reached and he died from suffocation. The parents of the three boys reside in Ames, three miles from the scene of the accident.

Run Over and Killed. NEOSHO, Mo., Feb. 16.-А. I. Phipps was run over and killed by a freight train at this place while trying to steal a ride yesterday.

Accidentally Killed.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 16.—Henry Nathan's revolver dropped from his pocket during a ball at Turner Hall last night. It was discharged, and the builet killed Wm. Benjamin, striking him in the head.

HONORING A HERO.

Preparations for the Funeral of Gen. W. T. Sherman.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING OF THE CITIZENS' COMMITETE TO-DAY.

Messages of Condolence.

emorial Services to Be Held at the Grand Music Hall on Thursday-The Funeral Parade, and Those Who Will Participate -The Arrangements in New York-

At 11 o'clock this morning a meeting of t'e Citizens' Committee having in charge the preparations for the funeral of Gen. W. T. erman met in the reading-room of rchants' Exchange. Ex-Gov. Merchants' Exchange. called the median Stanard order, and on Henry Hitchcock was made permanent chairman, with George H. Morgan as Secretary. Mr. James E. Yeatman and Mr. Henry Hitchcock, who had been in telegraphic communication with the family, were requested to state the purport of the instructions they had received. Mr. Hitchcock stated that they had held a conference on Sunday evening at the Southern Hotel, at which Gen. A. Noonan and Maj. H. L. Morrill were present, and had discussed the arrangements to be made. Gen. Merritt had stated that as yet he had received no orders fro

ton in reference to the funeral, but expected

THE FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS.

The following telegram had been received:

James E. Yeatman and Henry Hitchcock, St. Louis:

It was the General's desire that a military funeral should be held in St. Louis on the arrival of the party, which will be on Saturday morning, the Grand Army being a prominent feature of the procession, Ransom Fost to be the guard of honor. He desired all the regulation military ceremonies to be held at the grave, but no Grand Army ritual of any kind. The regular army, as arranged by Gon. Schofield, will furnish the escort and the firing party at the grave. Upon consultation, all arrangements were left with you and your associates.

JOHN SHERMAN,

T. W FITCH,
GEN. O. O. HOWARD,
GEN. H. W. SLOCUM,
P. T. SHERMAM.

P. T. SHERMAM.

In the course of the deliberations it was decided to send a telegram to Gen. Schofield to secretain the exact part that the United and duplicate telegrams were sent by Messrs. Yeatman and Hitchcok as follows:

St. Louis, Feb. 15, 1891.

Maj.-Gen. Schofield, Washington, D. C.: Telegrams received this afternoon by the under-signed from Gen. Sherman's family and Gens. How-ard and Slocum, inform us of Gen. Sherman's desire

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JAS. E. YEATMAN, HENEY HITCHCOCK.

To this no reply had as yet been received, and Gen. Merritt had received no orders.

Until it was known just what troops would be present Mr. Hitchcock said it would be present, Mr. Hitchcock said, it would be impossible to make the final arrangements, but the committee should at once proceed to the task of defining its powers and duties.

FORMATION OF THE COLUMNS.

Col. D. P. Dyer suggested that as the Grand Army was to take a prominent part in

Grand Army was to take a prominent part in the ceremonies, that Leo Rassieur, the Department Commander, be added to the committee and also the commanders of the various local Grand Army posts. Provision should also be made for the Loyal Legion, the militie and for such civil contents. as might wish to participate. K. L. Morrill, Commander of the Loyal Legion, suggested that, as the funeral was to be a purely military one, that civic societies had no place in it, and that only the regular army, the Grand Army, the Loyal Legion and the State militia were to be oversided. Grand Army, the Loyal Legion and the State militia were to be considered. Mr. Yeatman stated that Gov. Francis had expressed his willingness to order all the militia in the State to St. Louis, but that there was a question as to his authority so to do, and that it was deemed best not to take this step. It was moved that the militia be invited to join the procession, and on behalf of the St. Louis regiment Col. C. D. Comfort accepted the invitation, and said that the National Guards would turn out in force.

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

Mr. Hitchcock stated that until it was known what troops were to be here, and what the family desired, it would be impossible to arrange all the details, and suggested the appointment of a General Executive Committee, with power to name sub-committees, to investigate the situation, to consult with Gen. Merritt, to communicate with Gens. Howard and Slocum and to report to the Citizens' Committee. Mr. Yeatman stated that he was informed that the funeral train would arrive in this city on Saturday morning at 7 o'clock, and that the family would probably be desirous to return to New York on the same evening. If this were to be done the hour proposed for the funeral, 4 p. m., would be too late. All agreed to this, and the hour of 10 a. m. was proposed, but it was determined to come to no decision on this point until further information was received. Col. D. P. Dyer suggested that Grand Army, posts and militia companies from other parts of Missouri would be present, but also that a contingent from other states might be expected, and proposed that arrangements be made to receive them and assign them a place in the column. Mr. Hitchcock's motion was carried, and an Executive Committee was appointed consisting of Jas. E. Yeatman, Henry Hitchcock, Leo Rassieur, D. P. Dyer, Marcus pointed consisting of Jas. E. Yeatman, Henry Hitchcock, Leo Rassieur, D. P. Dyer, Marcu Bernheimer, S. M. Kennard, H. L. Morrill eth W. Cobb, C. D. Comfort and E. O. Stan seth w. Cobb, C. D. Comfort and E. O. Stan-ard. This committee will report to the Citi-zens' Committee at 3 p. m. to-morrow. It was suggested that the procession start from Fifteenth street and Lucas place, but on con-sideration it was decided to leave this matter for the decision of Gen. Merritt.

bo be present. On motion of Marcus Bernheimer the following gentlemen were appointed as a Finance Committee: Marcus Bernheimer, R. P. Tansey, C. C. Raffiwater, C. H. Sampson and John W. Kauffman. A letter was read from Wm. Taussig requesting the privilege on behalf of the bridge company of escorting the funeral train across the bridge. Gen. Sherman drove the last spike, and had been presented with the freedom of the bridge. The following gentlemen were added to the Citizens' Committee: C. C. Rainwater, Seth W. Cobb, B. D. Lee, Wesley Merritt, C. H. Sampson, D. R. Garrison, T. C. Kernan, D. H. Armstrong, John J. O'Fallon, Leo Rassieur, and the commanders of the various local Grand Army posts. The meeting then adjourned to 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. Immediately upon the adjournement the executive committee held a meeting. The subject of the memorial service was discussed and it was decided to change the hour and the place of the gathering. Instead of holdnt. On motion of Marcus Bernthe place of the gathering. Instead of holding the services on the floor of the Merchants' Exchange on Thursday at 1:15 p. m., they will be held at 8 o'clock on that evening at the Grand Music Hall of the Exposition Build-

ROCEEDING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. Visiting military organizations were re-quested to report on arrival at Armory Hall, Seventeenth and Pine streets. An invitation was extended by the commit-

An invitation was extended by the committee to the Governor and his staff to be present at the funeral services on Saturday and
they were requested to take position in line at
the head of the State troops.
Maj. Morrill, George C. Smith, Charles M.
Hays and George H. Morgan were appointed a
Committee on Transportation.
The following committee was appointed on
funeral procession, line of march, etc., with
power to appoint marshals and aids: Leo
Rassieur, Gen. Merritt, S. M. Kennard, C. C.
Rainwater.
Committee on Militia Organizations—Col.

Committee on Militia Organizations—Col. C. D. Comfort, Lieut.'-Col. Taylor Stith, Capt. The Chair was authorized to appoint a Gen-

eral Reception Committee.
S. M. Kennard, Marcus Bernheimer and in line.
Frank Galennie were appointed a committee to have charge of the Music Hall and the draping of it and seating the people Thursday

Visiting Grand Army Posts, it was decided. Ransom Post, G. A. R., was requested to furnish such guards of honor as may be requested to take charge of the remains from the time of their arrival in St. Louis until de-

sited in Calvary Cemetery.
INVITATION TO THE PRESIDENT.
The following telegram, signed by all the bumbers of the committee, was adopted and sent to President Harrison

Sent to President Harrison:
Tathe President, Washington, D. C.:
The undersigned, an executive committee
of citizens of St. Louis, having in charge, at
the request of the family of Gen. Sherman,
the arrangements for the funeral to take place
to this give on Security, part, presentially in this city on Saturday next, respectfully express their earnest hope that the President, and his Cabinet may find it consistent with their public duties to be present on this occa-sion, and that their chairman may be in-formed as early as convenient whether they may be looked for.

RANSOM POST DELEGATION. Commander Ripley has not yet decided upon the delegation from Ransom Post, which is to meet the funeral train at Indianapolis. Last night H. L. Morrill, General Manager of the Frisco, tendered the post the use of his private car. If arrangements can be made to have the car attached to the special train, the deputation will consist of the present officers and past commanders. If this cannot be done the deputation will be limited to four members. The Loyal Legion will hold a meeting at 11 o'clock to-morrow in the commandery rooms to make arrangements for the funeral.

TROOPS ORDERED TO ST. LOUIS. The following telegram was received this

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16, 1891.

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Brig. Gen. Merritt, St. Louis, Mo.:
Gen. Sherman's funeral will start from New York
Thursday afternoon. The burial will take place at
St. Louis Saturday. The Ransom Post, Grand
Army of the Republic, will escort the remains from
the depot to the cemetry. Besides this you will have
a suitable escort of artillery and cavalry and be prepared to fire a suitable artillery, small arms and
bugle salute after the burial. J. M. SCHOFIELD,
Major-General Commanding.
As soon as this telegram was received Gen.
Merritt ordered six companies of infantry
from Fort Leavenworth to report in St. Louis,
with a light battery and the regimental
band of the Twelfth Infantry, all under command of Col. E. D. Townsend, of the
Twelfth Infantry. From Fort Logan,
Oolo., four companies of the Seventh
Infantry have been exdered. The
cavalry escort will consist of a battation of two squadrons of the Seventh Cavalry, under command of Col. Forsith. These troops, and a battery of light artillery, will come from Fort Riley, Kan. All the buglers of the Seventh Cavalry will accompany the

ARRANGEMENTS IN NEW YORK.

Preparations for the Removal of the mains to St. Louis.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16 .- The city of New York is a flutter of United States flags at half mast. Not since the death of Gen. Grant has there een such a demonstration of sorrow. Yesterday the body of Gen. Sherman lay in the large back room in which he died. The family remained upstairs all day and received a few intimate friends, and several of the ladies, worn out with watching, were taken out riding. The General's Rev. Mr. Sherman, is looked for on the Majestic by Wednesday. All steamers going east will signal the Majestic y the news, and it up, it is thought, and convey the arrive earlier than usual. The streets for blocks around the residence were crowded all day and night yesterday by curious people who either entered the house or merely left their card. Among those who called were: Mrs. Gen. Grant. Mrs. Stephen R. Elkins, Chauncey M. Depew, Gen. H. Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. John Swin-son, Gen. Butterfield, Samuel Dalton, Adjutant-General of Massachusetts; Maj. George M. Wheeler, U. S. A.; Mrs. Wheeler, Rear Admiral Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Rear Admiral Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Vail, Maj. Bates, U. S. A.; Mrs. Bates, W. H. Aspinwall, William Morton Grinnell, Lieut. Commander Cheney, U. S. N.; Amos R. Eno, William D. Guthrie, Col. H. L. Kendrick, U. S. A.; Lieut. Brooks, U. S. A.; Service in the world, the idea being that the Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Fish, Miss Fish, and Johnif. Scott, Col. Gouraud, Perry Belmont, D. O. Mills and the Rey and Mrs. Alexander.

day.

Several thousand telegrams were received yesterday from every State in the Union, almost every country in Europe, from Mexico and South America. One message prized equally with any received was from Gen. J. E. Johnston, who fought Sherman in the Atlanta campaign and who has just passed his \$2d year. Messages of condolence were received from Secretary of State Blaine, Vice-President Morton, Gen. J. M. Schofield, Secretary of the Nay B. F. Tracy, Supreme Court Justice m. Gen. J. M. Schoneid, Secretary of the B. F. Tracy, Supreme Court Justice M. Harlan, Secretary J. M. Rusk, Secre-f the Interior John W. Noble, Mayor J. Grant of New York, Archbishop Peter M. Kenrick of St. Louis, Chief Justice

ninisters. FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS.

Gens. Slocum, Howard and Butterfield met with the family yesterday and decided to hold with the family yesterday and decided to hold funeral services at 1 o'clock Thursday, and that they should last but one hour. Col. Loomis L. Langden will be in command of the army escort proper, which will consist of all the infantry battalions in the neighborhood. the infantry battalions in the neighborhood of New York. The artillery will be made up of the First Artillery, United States Army; the Dillienbacks Light Battery, and the two fourgun batteries of the First Brigade. National Guard. The cavalry will consist of one troop of regulars and the famous Troop A of the National Guard. The body will be borne on a caisson, with a guard of honor from Lafayette Post, G. A. R. The escort will encompass the caisson and the pall-bearers. After the escort will come the family and relatives in carriages, and after them the President, and Vice-PresidentR. B. Hayes and ex-President Cleveland, the committees of the Senate and the House of Representatives, the Governor and Mayor.

Governor and Mayor.

Following this column will be, first, the Loyal Legion; second, the Grand Army posts; third, a corps of cadets from West Point and several private military schools; fourth, such regiments of the National Guard as it is decided to have participate; fifth, delegates from the civic societies, and last such civillans as wish to march with the body to the Desbrosses street ferry. The Grand Army men will be commanded by Gen. Floyd Clarkson and the National Guard by Gen. Louis Fitzgerald. All this will have to be approved by Gen. Schofield, who is the head of the

PALL-BEARERS. The pall-bearers will be Gen. J. M. Schofield, Gen. O. Howard, Rear Admiral S. L. Braine, Rear Admiral L. A. Kimberley, Gen. Thomas L. Casey, Gen. J. C. Kelton, Prof. H. L. Kendrick, Gen. Jo. seph E. Johnston, Gen. H. W. Slocum, Gen. D. E. Sickles, Gen. L. M. Dodge, Gen. J. M. Corse, Gen. Wager Swayne and Gen. S. L. Woodford. Woodford.

It is thought there will be at least 20,000 men

AT THE RESIDENCE. Slocum were busy this morning completing arrangements for the funeral of Gen. Sherman, but they are not yet prepared to make their formal announcement. They have called in consultation Gen. Daniel Butterfield and Lieut. Treat. The house at 75 West Seventy-first street, in which the body of Seventy-first street, in which the body of Gen. Sherman lies, was visited this morning by many friends of the family, who came to offer their sympathy. The street ordinarily so quiet was all the morning filled with pedestrians attracted to the neighborhood by the desire to see the place in which the General had made his last fight. The dismal weather did not seem to

fight. The dismal weather did not seem to dismay them at all. Many prominent per-sons were among those who called at the house. Messenger boys were calling at the nouse continually. From all parts of the country messages of sympathy were pouring

The Chicago G. A. R. Veterans. CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 16 .- At a meeting of the Veterans in Grand Army Hall yesterday presided over by Postmaster Sexton, Gen Wallace suggested that a committee request, in the name of the Grand Army of Illinois, the actual presence of the remains of Gen. Sher man at the memorial services. The suggest tion was warmly received, and a strong effort will be made to have the remains taken to St.

The Foreign Press.

LONDON, Feb. 16.-The London newspaper this morning all contain long obituary articals eulogistic of Gen. Sherman. The Times says the death removes one of the greatest heroes of a great war, and impoverishes the world's stock of military genius and renown.

The Standard says: "Refusing to be drawn into the mire of politics, Gen. Sherman enjoyed the esteem of all parties and died without a stain upon the Juster of his arms—as free from reproach as from fear."

THE MILITARY FUNERAL.

THE CEREMONIES OBSERVED ON THE BURIAL OF A GENERAL. The obsequies of the late Gen. W. T. Shernan will be the most impressive that have ever been celebrated in this city. Those who have never witnessed the funeral ceremonies of an officer of high rank can form little correction of the impressiveness and simplicity eption of the impressiveness and sir f a funeral cortege and burial cerer All who have witnessed a military funeral de clare that in solemnity and grandeur it exceeds all others.

A GENERAL'S FUNERAL.

The articles of war prescribe the escort of a general as a regiment of infantry, a battalion of cavalry and two batteries of artillery. At the time of his death Gen. Sherman was on the retired list, and according to a re-cent decision of the War Department, a re-tired officer is not entitled to a military fu-neral, but in the present case special orders will be given that this ruling shall be suspended for the occasion, and the old soldier will be accorded the same honors that would have been given him had he died while on

At a military funeral the escort is headed by the band, playing the dead march. Troops with arms reversed, follow at a slow pace. The colors are sheathed and draped in black. The colin is never borne in a hearse, but is placed on a caisson, with no drapery save the American flag. Upon this is often inscribed the names of the engagements in which the deceased restrictions of the care. which the deceased participated. Upon the offin are laid the sword and chapeau of the comin are hald the sword and chapeau of the dead leader, Directly behind the caisson is led the horse, with full military trappings, the spurred boots being fastened in the stir-rups. On each side of the caisson walk the pall-bearers and the guard of honor. The

rear is brought up by the remainder of the AT THE GRAVE. On arriving at the cemetery the troops form in hollow square about the grave, and when the body is lowered to its last resting place and the grave filled, a bugler steps to the front and sounds "taps," the military call requiring all lights to be extinguished and the soldiers to go to rest. When the last notes of the bugle have died away a firing party steps forward, and three volleys are 2red over the grave. At the burial of a General three sal-vos of artillery are fired in addition to the infantry salute. The troops are then formed into columns, and march off, the band

Johnif. Scott, Col. Gouraud, Perry Belmont, D.
O. Mills, and the Rev. and Mrs. Alexander
Mackay Smith.

MILITARY GUARD ON DUTY.

A military guard was on duty in the house
and no one was allowed to see the dead man's
face, as it was his earnest request that his
body be not placed in state, and that none
but his relatives be permitted to see his face
after death. The family have decided to
honor the request and thus deny the many
old soldiers a last look at their commander's
features. A Catholic priest, a friend of the
family, was with the daughters and son all
day.

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yesterday from every State in the Union, almost every country in Egrope, from Mexico
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HOTEL PERSONALS.

E. B. Sinnoth, Joplin, Mo.; J. H. Field, Boston; J. H. Clark, Dayton, O., and C. T. Dazey, Quincy, Ill., are at the Lindell. J. R. Eagan, Peoria; W. Wallace, Rockford Ill.; Geo. J. Baird, San Angelo, Tex., and D J. Meyer, Benton, Ill.; are at the Laclede.

Changed to Another Road.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 16.—A special to the Star from Atchison, Kan., says: "F. S. Calis an Kenrick of St. Louis, Chief Justice vin, Division Superintendent of the Missouri Andrew Barry M. Stanley, Russell A. Alger, Pacific, has resigned and will become Superintendent of the Union Pacific, with head-quarters at Pocatello, Idaho."

BARR'S would like to sell all that's left of Frank's dress goods this week. There's flannel suiting, pure wool, 54 inches wide, that goes for the unheard-of price of 35 cents. It is every thread wool, good shades and a yard and a half wide. That 40-inch black all-wool Henrietta at forty cents and black all-silk Surah at 40 cents are great bargains, only there is not much of them left.

> BARR'S clean out of housekeeping goods will continue till the goods are all sold. American hardwood clothes baskets, 43 cents. 50-loot clothes lines, Frank's price, 10 cents; Barr's price, 6 cents. Clothes pins, Frank's price, 4 cents; Barr's, 1 cent a dozen. Twohooped oak-grained buckets, 12c. Frank's 20-cent washboards for 11 cents; 75-cent tubs for 49 cents; 20-cent brooms, good quality, 11 cents. One-quart 8-cent tin cups for 4 cents. 16-quart 39-cent dishpans for 25 cents. Wash boilers, No. 7 for 82 cents, No. 8 for 93 cents. Saucepans, 2-quart, 9 cents; 3-quart, 11 cents; 4-quart, 14 cents; 6-quart, 18 Japanned flour cans, 50 pounds, 75 cents; 100 pounds, 98 cents.

BARR'S umbrellas go cheap! Gloria silk, natural wood sticks or metal handles, 24 to 28-inch, for 63 cents. If you happen to need a corset, come see if your size is in that odd lot of dollar goods for 35 cents; or maybe you'll find it amongst those slightly soiled P. D.'s that go less'n half; or toilet goods-ten-cent tooth brushes, 5 cents; forty-cent rubber nail brushes, 25 cents; hair brushes, 10 cents; bay rum, 10 cents; Lundborg, \$1.25; extracts, 75 cents.

> The Wm. Barr D. G. Co. ask the public to remember that this stock of Frank's becomes less every day. Also that all reserve stock of this purchase is on sale this

BARR'S will make a special effort to close out the entire balance of Frank's stock of knitted wear this week. Most all of these goods are in odd or broken sizes. Some nice plated silk vests for ladies, also the extra fine quality French balbriggan, go at 25 cents each; and then a lot of children's light-weight merino vests and drawers at very low figures. In men's wear are some grand bargains many people are buying for next year.

BARR'S Bargania. White pearl buttons, 5 cents dozen; gold-plated fob chains, 35 cents; gold and silver necklaces, 10 cents; coin purses, 5 cents; odd sizes in ladies' button boots, \$1.00 a pair; bunches flowers, 10 cents; cashmere fichus, 95 cents; white striped dress muslin, 4½ cents; ladies' 25-cent hose for 10 cents a pair; children's 65-cent hose for 25 cents; 10-cent hercules braids for 3 cents; dress stays, 5 cents dozen; stamped butcher linen splashers, 9 cents.

A SEETHING ABYSS.

Every yard of Frank

Bros.' stock of dress

fabrics on sale this week,

silks, wools, flannels.

Also, the entire balance

of their trimmings.

The Great Moyer Mine Near Scottdale, Pa., on Fire.

FOUR PUMPERS KILLED AND SIX OR SEVEN MEN MISSING.

Miner Accidentally Drops His Lamp in the Shaft, Igniting the Accumulating Mine Gas-Fifty Miners at Work-Conflagration at New Westminster, Wash .-

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 16.-The Moyer mine, owned by W. J. Rainer, near Scottdale, Pa. is on fire, and four miners are supposed to be entombed. Four pumpers are known to have been killed, and six or seven men are now reported missing. Fifty were at work when he explosion occurred.

The fire was kindled by a miner accidentally dropping a naked lamp at the bottom of the shaft, which is a hundred feet deep. The lamp exploded, igniting the accumulating mine gas, which exploded with a terrific report exploded with and scattered the flames in every direction The mine caught fire and the large fan used the interior of the mine seems to be one mass of flames. A large number of men are at work urning water into the mine. Moutz Creek has been turned from its source into the mine shaft and is pouring a large quantity of water into the seething abyss. The Moyer coke mine, one of the largest in the region, em ployed 500 men. The men at this place had refused to join the ranks of the and the works were running. Fifty miners were at work at the time of the explosion.

All escaped except four, who are missing.

THE VICTIMS.

Later—A courier has just arrived who states that four pumpers are known to have been killed, and six or seven are reported

New Westminster's Conflagration SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 16.—A New West-minster special to the Post-Intelligencer says: This city was yesterday visited by a conflagration which destroyed in the neighborhood of \$500,000 worth of property and ber of the Volunteer Fire Brigade. The fire started in the premises occupied by F. Stirsky, watchmaker and feweler, on Columbia treet, and the whole block of buildings was absorbed before the fire department had suceeded in getting to work. For two hours the firemen fought the flames, and were just geting them under control when an explosion in the rear of one store occurred. It broke ilmost every pane of glass within a radius of half a mile, and burst all of the hose pumping on the fire. The Masonic Temple next adjacent had, up to this moment, been considered absolutely safe, but the breakage of flames inward, and in a minute the whole inerior of the building was afire. It was occupied by stores, offices, lodge rooms and the Provincial Registry office. Nothing was saved out of the building but the papers from the Registry office. While fighting the flames at one of the windows the western wall of the building fell in and a fireman named McCannon was burie under two tons of brick. He was taken out and brought to St. Mary's Hospital, where he died last night. Another man is reported to be buried under the ruins. Floods of water vere poured on the Masonic block continwere poured on the masonic block contin-ually, but ten times the amount of water would have had but little effect on the fire. The firemen worked hard, but to no avail. Their streams of water turned to steam almost be-fore they reached the skirts of the frightful sea of flames. The whole sky was aflame with lurid reflection. It was stated that the light of the five was seen at Blaine and far up.

A Disastrous Hospital Fire. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 16.—St. Mary's Ho night clothes and all of them trembling in abject terror. They were all asleep when the going sounded its warning but it was the work of only a moment for them to clothe themselves in their black robes. Never before have women worked more nobly than did these gentle sisters. They were everywhere regardless of personal comfort and safety, and to them alone should go the major part of the credit of saving the patients. The insurance on the hospital build.

A Bad Wreck.

ing is \$20,000.

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 16.-There was a wreck on the Union Pacific road between Cheyenne and Denver this morning. Train No. 318 lashed into the rear of an extra at Brighton Engineer Downs had both legs broken, Fire-man Spragg was killed and the conductor and engineer of the rear train were injured.

EAST ST. LOUIS AND BELLEVILLE.

Boy Killed by a Freight Train-New Across the River.

A little boy named Jenks, 4 years old, was killed by a freight train on Tenth street. ear the Heim Brewery, in East St. Louis today. He was playing near the track of the Belt Line and in some way got underneath a train of cars loaded with ston and other materials being switched over to Collinsville avenue for the street im-provements. A car wheel struck his head and mashed the skull, cutting off the upper part of the cranium. The boy was a son of William Jenks. a carpenter who lives on Tenth street, between Illinois and Ohlo avenues. Coroner Woods will hold an

evening. The congregation of new East St. Louis

Baptist Church will meet this evening to make arrangements for a general meeting which will be held next Saturday night. It is expected that at the meeting on Saturday teps will be taken towards erecting a house of worship. The electric street cars are making regular to-day, running at intervals of a few

ninutes. A switchman's watch-house in the Chicago,

Burlington & Quincy yards caught fire from a spark this morning and burned to the ground. An elderly stranger, having the appearance of a farmer, who arrived in East St. Louis this afternoon on the Big Four accommodation train which comes in at 1:15, made a misstep in attempting to policy to from the correct the policy of the correct the control of the correct than correct the corr made a misstep in attempting to alight from the cars at the Relya depot and sustained a heavy fall on the iron rails. His left leg was injured, and as he could not walk he was removed on a stretcher to the Y. M. C. A. Hospital. It is thought his leg is fractured at the knee

Hon. A. S. Wilderman of Belleville now has clear field for nomination as one of the three candidates for Circuit Judge. St. Clair is entitled to one man on the ticket, and it is now conceded that Mr. Wilderman will get the place. Judge W. H. Snyder, who was a candidate for renomination, has given up the fight and will withdraw. It is impossible to predict who the two other nominees will be, as there are numerous candidates in the The February term of the Circuit Court

opened this morning with Judge Snyder on the bench. No cases were set for to-day. Jury trials will begin to-morrow.

THE ASSOCIATION MEETING. Thurman to Be Forced to Resign-Proceed

ings To-Day at Cincinnati LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 16.—A dispatch has been received by the base ball officials here Von der Ahe at St. Louis in from Von der Ahe at St. Louis in which the Louisville Club is urged to send a representative to Cincinnati to be present at a meeting of the Association today. It is supposed that the meeting is called for the purpose of taking some action on the Bierbauer case decided Saturday at Chicago. Association men have denounced the action of President Thurman in this matter, and it is said that a movement will be made at the meeting to inaugurate a war on made at the meeting to inaugurate a war on Thurman which will force his resignation.

Didn't Accomplish Anything. CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 16 .- The base ball ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 16.—St. Mary's Hospital was destroyed by fire last night, Loss, 85,000. Fireman Frank Jaynes was fatally hurt by falling from a ladder. None of the patients were injured. There were in the hospital yesterday 800 patients, nineteen close the Board of Control with reference to Bierbauer and Stovey, has been unable to do anything owing to the absence of Mr. The were in the hospital yesterday 800 patients, nineteen Fhelps, the attorney, who is in Frankfort, Ky., and Mr. Vonderhorst of ployees. The inmates were in all stages of disease and many of them were unable to get from their beds. Immediately the fire was discovered and the alarm given, a scene of the wildest confusion ensued. The corridors are filled with a terrified crowd of patients, some of them clad only in their taken.

meeting to settle the trouble in the American investigation as to Mr. Taaffe's financial investigation as to Mr. Taaffe leaves to the Beard of Control with reference to the Beard of the declision of the death-bed was not as wealthy as she had thought, some of his property being mon his death-bed was not as wealthy as she had thought, to do anything owing to the absence of eting to settle the trouble in the American

MR. TAAFFE'S WILL.

One-Third of His Estate Left to Miss Esther Mills.

STRANGE CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH THE BEQUEST WAS MADE.

The Well-Known Real Estate Agent's Romantic Relations With a St. Louis School Teacher-The Relatives to Contest the Will-Who Miss Mills Is.

The will of the late Peter Taaffe, the wellnown senior member of the real estate firm of Taaffe & Gay, who died recently at Hot noon, is written on a sheet of Park Hotel (Ho Springs, Ark.) note-paper, and reads as fol-

Jan. 22, 1891.—I, Peter Taaffe, being in my own right mind and of my own free will, give to my friend, Miss Esther Mills, one-third of my estate, to

be paid to her at my decease.

(Signed) PETER TARFFE.

Witnesses: MARY E. MALLOY,

ISABEL ESTHER HEATH. This document, somewhat remarkable tself, is likely to become still more so, as it is itself, is likely to become still more so, as it is to be contested by the relatives of the testa-tor, and the lawsuit following will bring to light a strange story, in which Miss Mills, a prominent public school teacher of St. Louis, will play a prominent part, and in which, Inquest this afternoon.

Another meeting of the Board of Education of East St. Louis will be held next Thursday will be described as bearing upon vill be described as bearing upon he peculiar bequest made in the peculiar will uoted above. Following the filing of the will or probate this afternoon, Mr. Gay, the busiess partner of the deceased, was seen by a

planation of the bequest to Miss Esther Mills.

Mr. Gay said:

MR. GAY'S EXPLANATION.

"All that I know of the matter is what I have been told by Mr. John Donigan, so nephew of Mr. Taaffe's, who was in Hot Springs when his uncle died. Mr. Donigan tells me that Mr. Peter Taaffe and Miss Mills were engaged to be married. When Mr. Taaffe went to Hot Springs to be treated for the malady which finally caused his death. he malady which finally caused his death his Mills entered into correspondence with his Hot Springs physician requesting that she be kept accurately posted as to Mr. Taaffe's

This was done, and when Mr. Tanffe grew worse, Miss Mills went hurriedly from St. Louis to Hot Springs and joined him at his bedside, Judge Taaffe, his brother, and John Conigan, his nephew, were also with him. faaffe, believing that he was about to die, offered to make Miss Mills his wife by a marriage ceremony to be performed there and

This Miss Mills declined to do, but remained dimost constantly beside his bed. The night before he died Mr. Donigan charges that Miss Mills, after waiting until his relatives had retired, about 1 o'clock in the morning, in-duced him to sign the document entered for probate to-day. The witnesses to the will were respectively the nurse and the waitiom Miss Mills brought into the room for that purpose, and the entire pro-ceeding, Mr. Doingan charges, was conducted with the utmost secrecy, so that Mr. Taafle's relatives would not know what was being done. The first they knew of such a docuwith the utmost secrecy, so that Mr. Tualle's relatives would not know what was being done. The first they knew of such a document being in existence was after Mr. Taaffe's death, when Miss Mills told them prior to the return to St. Louis. Judge Taaffe claims that undue influence was used to induce his brother to sign the will, and he expressed to me his intention to contest the will and break it if possible on those grounds. Mr. Taaffe was a widower with no children. His wife died about six years ago. His nearest relative is

widower with no children. His wife died about six years ago. His nearest relative is his brother, Judge Taaffe, and he leaves some nephews and nieces, also in St. Louis, of whom John Donigan is one. He was about 45 years old.

"Miss Mills was present at Mr. Taaffe's funeral, but wore a heavy veil throughout the ceremony, never once lifting it from her face, which it effectually covered. She seemed to be destrous of avoiding notice as the 'betrothed' of the deceased. I am told by Mr. Donigan and Judge Taaffe also, that before Mr. Taaffe's death, Miss Mills had her brother make a thorough investigation as to Mr. Taaffe's financial standing, and that her refusal to marry him on his death-bed was because she found that he was not as wealthy as she had thought, some of his property being mortgaged.

his relations with Miss Mills, and I do not know how long they had been engaged. The only time I when I drove out with Mr. Taaffe to look at her mother's house near Rock Springs, which Miss Mills wanted to borrow \$600. conducted the negotiation through Taaffe.

Miss Mills was placed on the roll of teachers in the public schools in September

1873, when she was assigned to the Rock Spring School in this capacity of third assistant. She resigned in January, 1874, and was reappointed to the same school in 1876. In June, 1879, she was transferred to the Everett School, where she remained only a short time, going from these to the D'Fallon, when she ranked as third assistant

ntil '81, when she was transferred to the charles Pope School. She taught there as third assistant until November, 1884, when she was promoted to the grade of second as-sistant and continued until July 27, 1889, when she was promoted to first assistant and transferred to the Hodgen School. Last November she was made the head assistant at that school. Her record according to the books in the Superintendent's office is first class in every respect and ever since her con-nection with the schools she has been consid-ered one of the very best teachers. Her resi-dence is at 4638 Richmond place.

MISS MILLS' STATEMENT.

Miss Mills was also seen by a Post DISPATCH reporter and said:
"Mr. Taaffe and I had been engaged for a year and a half and were to have been married last summer, but the wedding was postponed owing to his sickness. After he went to Hot Springs I received a telegram from Mr. Taaffe tellieg me to come down at once, as he was worse. When I arrived he had a right to make a fool of himself, but not with the formula of the said that that gentleman had a right to make a fool of himself, but not with the formula of the said that the sa Miss Mills was also seen by a Post DISPATCH once, as newas worse. When I arrived he wanted the marriage to take place, but I declined, because Mr. Taaffe being a Catholic and I a Protestant, the necessary dispensation asked for had not arrived. The dispensation asked for had not arrived. The dispensation did arrive two days later and before Mr. Taaffe died, but I did not worry him then, because his brother, Judge Taaffe, objected, as Mr. Taaffe was dying. The will was drawn up on June 22 at 10 o'clock a.m., after M. Taaffe had breakfasted, and I did not know anything about it until it had been signed. Judge Taaffe knew of it as soon as I did,-being notified by Mr. Taaffe at the same time that I was."

WRECKED THE COACH.

An Immense Rock Falls on a Panhandle

PITTSBURG. Pa., Feb. 16.-An immense rock, quesne Heights about 8:50 o'clock this morning and crashed into a passenger coach of the Washington express on the Panhandle road, instantly killing one passenger and seriously injuring three others. Their name

KILLED .- Miss Clara Fleming, and years; brains crushed out and badly mangled.
INJURED.—J. F. Donohue, aged 20 years, badly hurt about the head and chest; Miss Mamie Baldwin, aged 18 years, cut about the head, breast and arms; unknown young man, badiy bruised.

The victims were all student of Duff's College in this city and were on their way to school when the accident happened. It had been raining steadily for twenty-four hours, and landslides were reported at various points along the road. The Washington express, due at 90'clock, had just entered the shadows of Duquesne Heights, which are opposite the city, when the rock came thunring down the mountain side. It crashed into the center of the coach, completely wrecking it. Miss Fleming and Mr. Donohu were sitting in the same seat, but the young lady occupied the window side. Before she had time to escape, the rock came through the car and crushed her to death. Donohue A scene of wild confusion followed, and several young ladies fainted, but order was soon restored and after detaching the wrecked car the train was brought into Pittsburg.

Miss Fleming's body was sent to her home at was home to be and the injured were taken

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

SUPPRESSION OF THE STATEMENT RE-GARDING CLEVELAND'S MESSAGE.

viewed-The American National Bank

of Kansas City-Senate and House Proceedings. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.-Ex-Congressman Wm. Warner and Judge J. McDougel of

days in the interest of the suspended Amerisatisfied that all is in good shape at the Treasury Department to permit of the bank resuming business at an early day.

The written statements made by Senator Cockrell and Congressman Wilson, regarding Congressman Mansur's early advice to Presilent Cleveland to write a free trade have, upon the urgent request of Congress men Dockery and Heard, been temporarily, at least, suppressed by the parties who have them. The latter gentleman claimed that it would be but a revival of an unpleasant episode which was not necessary. Mr. Mansur had nothing to say when questioned about

his (Taylor's) consent. His words were un-parliamentary and unjust and he apologized to the House and gentleman and regretted

ment of Mr. Taylor, accepted the apology in the same spirit in which it had been made. The conference report on the army appropriation bill was then adopted and immediately thereafter the House went into committee of the whole on the Indian appropria-

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—In the Senate to-day the credentials of Senators Jones of Nevada and Mitchell of Oregon for terms beginning March 4 next were filed. The conference report on the fortification bill was agreed to, and Mr. McConnell addressed the Senate in advocacy of his bill, directing the Senate in advocacy of his bill directing the proceedings of the condemnation agains the Union and Central Pacific roads bill. Ré

aken up and several committee an

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 16.—Close—Pork, lard, wand flour are in poor demand, prices unchan Corn is in poor demand; spot and Feb. 5s 5d, ste April, 5s 28td, steady. Wheat—The receipts past week from Atlantic ports were 12 juarters; Pacific ports none: other sources, 71, Receipts—American corn, 21, 300 quarters.

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BONDSMEN SAY BOSH

How They Characterize the Charges Against Postmaster Harlow.

A LETTER SENT BY MR. WM. NICHOLS CAUSES ALL THE TROUBLE.

A Bondsman Who Wanted to Take Al Proper Precautions to Protect Himself Provokes Ugly Talk About the Postmaster - Mr. Harlow Gives What He Thinks Are the Reasons.

Another private letter has been given to the public and a great commotion caused in conequence. Mr. William Nichols, President of ing little missive last week to his friend Na than Frank in Washington, and the explosion which resulted couldn't have been worse if the envelope had been charged with dyna

It appears that the St. Louis Congressm or two of them, were at outs with Postmaste Harlow because he didn't act upon some of their suggestions in regard to the certain subordinate positions in the Postit was forthwith handed to the Washington correspondent of a St. Louis morning paper, together with the complaints and grievances of all the men who have ever been discharge

The said complaints and grievances wer to the effect that several shortages had occurred in the St. Louis Post-office which had not been given publicity; that Mr. Harlow had violated the civil service rules in appointing one of his friends a letter carrier without requiring him to pass the regular civil service examination; that he had discharged several faithful and efficient employes without cause and that he had refused ployes without cause and that he had refuse consult with the St. Louis Congressmen in the appointment of his subordinates.

MR. NICHOLS CONFESSES.

"I suppose I'm responsible for the whole trouble," said Mr. Nichols in his confessions to a Post-Dispatch reporter this morning, 'but I am as innocent of any evil designs in the matter as a new-born babe. You see I happen to be on Postmaster Harlow's bond, and it is my business to keep an eye on him, not because of suspicions or complaints, but as a matter of precaution. As president of a bank it is a part of my new to the deliberation. bank it is a part of my nature to do things in a business-like way. Now, the directors of this bank come sailing in here at all hours of the day, whenever they take a notion, and commence going through the books without a moment's warning. That's all right. That's business. Well, in the same way and for the same reason I wanted to find out how Mr. Harlow stood in his accounts. I supposed that his books were now and then investigated officially by somebody from Washington and I wanted to know how often they were made and how made and when the last one had been made and the result of it. I had never heard of a and the result of it. I had never heard of a solitary complaint against Mr. Harlow and solitary companies against an against his in-tegrity or ability, but I considered it my duty, under the circumstances, to make some inquiries and having had some correspondence with Congressman Frank, I made my inquiries of him, never suspecting that he was unfriendly to Mr. Harlow or that he would make use of my letter in the way he did. He must have shown my letter to a newspaper correspondent in Washington, as the correspondent's article yesterday contained my questions, word for word. You see that's the way I was drawn into the affair. I don' know a thing against Harlow, and I'll bet m buttons that he's as straight as a string an nothing has been proven against him. Th alleged disclosures don't amount to anything at all. Yes, I guess I'm the man who touched it off, but I didn't know it was loaded."

NOTHING IN IT.

The other gentlemen on Mr. Harlow's bond are N. O. Nelson, John C. Orrick, John W. Boffinger, D. M. Houser and Judge C. A. Mr. Nelson said when seen this norning in regard to the matter: "There is morning in regard to the matter: "There is nothing whatever in the charges against Mr. Harlow, absolutely nothing, and I think the body of the newspaper article refutes the headlines. I can't speak for the other bondsmen, but as for me, I am perfectly satisfied with Mr. Harlow's management of the Post-office. It couldn't be better I think so force the business. be better, I think, so far as the busines management of the office is concerned, and know there is nothing wrong in the financia

Mr. Orrick said: "There is nothing in it at all and it's all bosh that any of the bondsmen are dissatisfied. Mr. Harlow discharge some of the employes who didn't come up to the mark and they have complained to their political friends in Washington and these po-litical friends of theirs haven't the influence with Mr. Harlow that they thought they had and that's all there is about it. He runs his office for the public good alone and on strictly business principles, knowing neither friend nor foe. No; you can say that Mr. Harlow's bondsmen are entirely satisfied with his management of the officer."

MR. HOUSER SURPRISED.

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Mr. D.M. HOUSER was found in his office this afternoon in conversation with United States District Attorney George D. Reynolds, the official on whose recommendation Bishop Hebert, the colored janitor, who is supposed to have circulated the against Mr. Harlow and is not going to take any part in the controversy. Mr. Houser talked freely of the matter and told all he talked freely of the matter and told all he knew about it. 'I just got back from Washington last night," he said, "and know very little about it. I heard nothing whatever about it in Washington except what Mr. Stevens, our correspondent there, told me just before I left. I was at the hotel and was about to go to the depot when he came there and asked me if I was on Postmaster Harlow's bond. I replied that I was and then he told me that some complaint had been filed in Washington against Mr. Harlow. Some shortages for small amounts had been he told me that some complaint had been filed in Washington against Mr. Harlow. Some shortages for small amounts had been reported, and then some general charges of incompetency made besides. I told him that this was the first I had heard of any complaint against Mr. Harlow and that I should like to be kept posted, and asked him to let me know the particulars when he learned them and any other complaints that were made. Then all left Washington and thought no more about it until I saw the article you speak of and I was as much surprised to see it as any one could have been. No, I had nothing whatever

to do with its publication, and I don'think there is anything in the charges Those shortages complained of wern made up long ago and the men who caused them discharged from service. The shortages amounted to only a few dollars, and Mr. Harlow was in no way at fault. I am very well the Post-office, and have heard no complaint

rom any of the bondsmen

Mr. Harlow was seen this morning at the Post-office. He said: "The colored man Her-bert, whose complaints are said to have caused this publication, was employed as orter in the city division. I received or ication from the foreman an intendent of the division ing that they be relieved of Her-bert's presence, as he was in-solent, inefficient and neglected his work. I turned the communication over to Assistant-Postmaster Sturgeon with instruc-tions to investigate and act. There was little investigating to be done. It was found that Herbert neglected his work and was insolent to employes and his superior officers. He was dropped. A day or two afterward ! received the following resolution, conveyed

to me by a committee of the letter carriers A RESOLUTION OF THANKS. In view of the troublesome, meddlesome and un-governable disposition of Paul Herbert, late porter of the Post-office, we, the carriers, in open meeting, commend and tender our thanks to Postmaster J. B.

'I learned that he was very unpopular in the office and the carriers held a meeting when they heard of his discharge."

when they heard of his discharge."

To the charges of lack of progressiveness Mr. Harlow has no occasion to reply. As is well known the efficiency of the office has been greatly increased since he has been in charge. The collection service has been increased and bettered, the registered mail delivery in the business section of the city has been taken off the regular carriers and delivery in the business section of the city has been taken off the regular carriers and put in the hands of two carriers especially detailed for that duty; two deliveries daily are made in the western, southern and northern ends of the city, where only one was made before, and the standard of work in the office and carrier service is higher. office and carrier service is higher. At Christmas time in former years the mail has been permitted to accumulate, the office being from thirty-six hours to a week behind on Christmas Day. This year, notwithstanding an extraordinary increase in the volume of mail, there was no accumulation to be f mail, there was no according to the corked off after Christmas Day.

WHAT FRANK WANTED. "I do not remember—and I have a very

on not remember—and I have a very good memory—that Mr. Frank ever made any such tender, and at no time did I waive him off or assume a lordly mien. It is not difficult for me to remember all of my interviews with Mr. Frank, as I do not think we ever met more than five times. I remember the last interview, Mr. Frank had previously presented the names. Frank had previously presented the names of some men he wanted appointed to responsible positions in the Post-office. Among them were Abe Slupsky and Julius Wurtzburger. I had not, and have not, seen my way to seven this them. On the excession of the last appointing them. On the occasion of the last nterview he presented the name of Andy Pearl—I think that was the name. I had been informed that Mr. Pearl was an applicant and that he was employed in some capacity in pool alley. I declined to appoint him. I said to Mr. Frank that I was follow-ing a rule established by Mr. Hyde of discharging employes who frequented pool alley, and I did not think it concharging employes who frequented pool alley, and I did not think it consistent to go to pool alley for their successors. Mr. Frank said that Mr. Pearl was earning an honest living. I did not dispute the proposition with him, but declined to make the appointment. I remember that when Mr. Frank left my office on that occasion I bade him good morning, and I have no recollection of a response from him."

Mr. Harlow thought the St. Louis Congressmen might easily forgive him for not calling on them during his two official visits to Wash "The truth is." he said. nere on both occasions on official busine and at the call of the Postmaster-General.
During every day I was there I worked hard
from 9 till 5 o'clock, and the intermediate
hours I spent at my hotel. I had no reason for intruding on Messrs, Niedringhaus, Frank

and Kinsey, and did not know that it was considered the thing to do."

Mr. Harlow has numerous letters from the Postmaster-General commending him for progressiveness and asking him for suggesons for the improvement of the service hese letters show that the department re the conduct of the St. Louis office a eing thoroughly efficient.

WEDDING PRESENTS.

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"HERE GOES COLLINS."

the Bridge Found. The body of a negro, supposed to be name

The Body of the Negro Who Jumped From

Collins, was found in the river at the foot of Chestnut street this morning. Last Christmas evening, about 6 o'clock, one of the bridge officers saw a man acting queerly about the railing of the bridge and approached him. When he got within ten feet of the man the stranger shouted, "Well, here goes Collins," and before the officer could reach him inquest will be held and if the body is not identified or claimed it will be buried in pot-

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A Boy Breaks His Collar Bone

Thomas Finnigan, a 14-year-old son of Fir nan Finnigan of the No. 14 engine company was playing on the platform which is located near the railroad tracks on Twenty-second street and Scott avenue, when he accidentally fell down, breaking his left collar bone. Dr Jacobson attended to him and he was sent to his home, 504 South Sixth street.

For breaking up a cold use Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant, which subdues the inflam ma-tion and heals the soreness, relieving Throat

THIS SETTLES IT.

Another Resolution to Investigate Noland Killed in the Lower House.

THE HOUSE DECIDES THAT THE MATTER HAS ALREADY BEEN INVESTIGATED.

The Farmers' Alliance or Third Party Join Concurrent Resolution Ordered to En grossment-St. Louis' Demand for an Increased Appropriation for the Insane Asylum Favorably Regarded.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 16,-The Senate Lower House, fresh from its plous rest of yesterday, took occasion to disport itself manner that precluded the possibility of its tending to any business of State. Speaker Tuttle is spending the day in Springfield, Ill. and Speaker Pro-tem Florea occupied the chair. A resolution ordering the flag over the Capitol at half-mast in honor Gen. Sherman was passed. Osage, the leader of the minority, sprang resolution. The letter of W. H. Swift, one of the Noland bondsmen, published in the Post DISPATCH, was taken for the foundation of the letter, that \$9,000 of the money refunded before Noland took the office of State Treas urer, and that Gov. Francis had been guilty of unbusinesslike administration of office The resolution, like the others on the same subject, called for a committee of five to in vestigate and report. It brought up a discussion and hour's time. It was, like previous resolutions on the same subject, tabled, and a resolution introduced by Eubanks, choking off all attempts at investigation, which declared that the matter had been fully investigated and that there was no use for further action, was passed. Having spent half the morning upon this the House devoted the other half to the discussion of Alliance prin ciples, and by its action showed just how far the Farmers' Alliance party of the State pro poses to go. The matter came up upon the question of the engrossment of Joint and Con current Resolution No. 1. This resolution is from the pen of Hendrickson of Bates County, a third party man, and the king pin among all the radicals of the House. Its caption

Joint and concurrent resolution: Deploring the depressed condition of agriculturists and business men, charging the same to victous class legisla-tion, and approving the remedy suggested by the farmers' organizations and pledging the Assembly to as mers organizations and piedging the Assembly to act in concert with Congress in enacting remedia legislation as indicated by the Democrats of the National Convention of the Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union, held at Ocala, Fla., in December, 1890.

The resolution, which reads like the plat form of a political convention, as introduced binds the Legislature to support every plank of the Ocala platform. The members who of the Ocala platform. The members who are not Alliance men did not want to touch it, but they could do nothing. The point that it was something the Legislature should leave conventions was overruled also a motion to table. The the Alliance men fix up their platform. It was amended by knocking out the sub-treasury plank and the plank favoring Govrnmental control of railroads. With these knocked out it was ordered engross vill in all probability be passed. It binds the dislature to favor the abolition of Nationa banks, the increase of our money supply to not less than \$50 per capita, the ef-fectual prevention of gambling called "option dealing.'' the free and unlimited coinage of dealing, the free and unmitted coinage of silver, the prohibition of allen ownership of land and the limitation of corporate owner-ship, the reduction of the tariff on the neces-saries of life and the passage of a graduated income tax law, and the limitation of the revenues to the necessary expenses of the Government, economically and honestly administered, the most rigid, honest and just State and National Governmental control and supervision of the means of public communication and transportation, and the submission of an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to allow a direct vote for United States Senator.

morning. It was very favorably impressed with the way the institution is managed, in the face of its insufficient accommodations and crowded condition.

"It is my opinion," said a member of the committee, "and I think the opinion of every member of the committee, that the appro-priation of \$100,000 asked for is very modest, and I think that there will be no objection t a favorable report on the matter when the committee meets to draft its report."

Senator Cameron Denounced.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 16.—At a special meet colutions were adopted denouncing Senator meron for his views on the silver question The resolutions also demand that he resign if the cannot represent the position of the commonwealth in opposition to the free coinage of silver. The Americus Club is regarded as a

Russell Supports Cleveland.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 16.—Gov. Russell has written the following letter in regard to the silver question to ex-President Cleveland: silver question to ex-President Cleveland:

MY DEAR SIR—I cannot refrain from writing to
you to express my gratification at your recent letter
against the free coinage of silver and my admiration for the language and patriotism that prompted
it and which led you in the past to meet every public duty without flinching. As a Democrat, too, intensely loyal to my party and its principles and eager
for its success, I congratulate you that you have
taken a position which is not only right, but which
greatly strengthens the party in the North and East.
It seems clear that the division on this question is
geographical rather than political; yet I believe
most sincerely that the apparent support of any
Democrats of the proposition for free coinage arose
from their earnest and just desire to kill the force
bill, which, now, thank God, is dead. I look now
to see a stronger stand in our party against free coinage.

farmers are suffering from unjust burdens; but their greatest burden is the tariff taxation, which has benefited the few and wealthy at their expense, and their greatest relief would be an immediate and large reduction of these tariff burdens. Our party has now so fully the confidence of the country and its business interests that it cannot afford to commit itself to a measure which will impair their confidence. Great credit is due you for expressing with so much force and without regard to personal consequences the opinions of the Democratic party of the North and East on this subject. Yours very truly, WILLIAM E. RUSERLL. WILLIAM E. RUSSELL.

The Hoosier Democracy.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 16 .- Nearly all the crats of this State favor the free coin age of silver, and ex-President Cleveland's claration of hostility to that question has used a great sensation. As Cleveland is the pice of a majority of the Hoosier Demoon that many will forcrats, it is the impression that sake the principle for the man.

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A VERY YOUTHFUL BURGLAR Joe Bresnan Confesses Having Entered

Charles H. Smith's Residence. Police Photographer Harry Newbold took use in the Rogue's Gallery at the Four Courts. Bresnan is the young burglar who yesterday afternoon effected an entrance into the resice of Charles H. Smith, 1611 Helen street nd stole jewelry of the value of \$150. Only a few days ago Smith sold some real estate for \$3,600, and it was to obtain this money that the burglary was attempted. Carpets, upholstered furniture and articles of clothing were cut and mutilated in the search for the cash. When arrested the stolen property was found on Bresnan's person. The presence admitted his guilt to day He is prisoner admitted his guilt to-day. He is only 20 years old and lives at 1447 Biddle street. He was three years ago employed by the police department as a telephone opera-tor at the Third District Station. It is more than probable that he had an accomplice in the job, but steadfastly refuses to reveal his companion's identity. A warrant charging him with burglary in the second degree and

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ABOUT TOWN.

THE Pelican Club has fitted up excellent rooms at No. 3242 Easton avenue with a gym-nasium, hand ball alley, etc. THE South Side Club, composed of young people, gave its last party of the season on Tuesday night at Mahler's Hall on Olive

THE Nationalist Club began a series of lect-tures yesterday at Druid's Hall, Ninth and Market streeets. The subject was "Legisla-NEXT Friday night the Onyx Club will have an entertainment and hop, their seventh this season, at the Concordia Club Hall, 1441 Chou-

To MORROW afternoon a delegation of twenty-five lumbermen will leave for Mem-phis, Tenn., to attend the annual convention of the Southern Lumber Manufacturers' As-

An alarm was sent in from box 321 at 5:45 o'clock this morning for a small fire in the tear of the residence of Mrs. E. T. Hickman, 925 Chestnut st.

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cold. Sold everywhere. 5 cents a box. Society Notes.

"Our Independent Club" gave a surprise party last Saturday evening to Miss Augusta Doering, Miss Lizzie Weeman and Miss Laura Doering, Miss Lizzie weeman and Miss Laura Kaster. After surprising the young ladies each was presented with a beautiful basket of flowers with the initials of the club "O. I. C." in red roses set in a bed of cut flowers, After the surprise an adjournment was taken to the Benton Park Dancing Academy where lancing was indulged in until quite a late

who sprained her ankle so badly some time ago, has recovered sufficiently to be out Mrs. George D. Barnard gave a valentine party on Friday afternoon to her little nephew, Master George Barnett Garrnett, and his many little friends. Miss Lilly Hill of Pine street will remain South until after Lent.

Miss Katherine Patterson of the South Side

outh until after Lent.
Mrs. Gov. Francis will entertain at Jeffer son City the members of the Press Associa tion on next Friday evening.

and wife are at Hotel Eastman Miss Veata Geiger of St. Joseph, neices of A. S. Knapper, are visiting her at No. 1420 Washington avenue.

Mrs. Charles Brown of Spokane Falls, with er little son Remond, is the guest of her huspand's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Brown

band's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Brown of Pine street.

Miss Lizzle Edwards, a pretty young debutante from Versailles, Ky., is visiting Mrs. George Cary of Garrison avenue.

Capt. Rossiter and wife returned home from spending a week in Springfield on Thursday and expect soon to move to Montgomery City to spend some time.

Capt. and Mrs. W. C. Powell of Garrison avenue are entertaining the Captain's mother

to destroy a one-story frame dwelling house

at 7722 Michigan avenue yesterday morning. About 4 o'clock Michael Becht, living at 7009 South Broadway, was on his way hôme from a party and discovered fiames in the rear of the house. He obtained a bucket of water and extinguished the blaze without giving an alarm. With a First District Police officer he then made an investigation and found that then made an investigation and found that the kitchen floor and wood work was saturated

A bullet which had been in the nose of Calvin C. Pratt, Judge of the Supreme Court of Brooklyn, since the battle of Gaines' Mill, June 71, 1822, was extracted at Dr. Flat's Santiarium in Brooklyn, last Friday, by Dr. O.

REAL ESTATE INTERESTS.

NEW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SITE ON SEMPLE AVENUE PURCHASED.

oved Properties Valued at \$13,000 Acquired by Mrs. Greer—Dr. Mudd's Locust Street Dwelling Sold for \$15,000 Other Sales-Projected Buildings.

The newly developing northwestern section of the city, byond the five-mile radius, is a very promising field for new churches. The sbyterians have been first to get a foothold there, and they are going to build on Semple avenue in Arlington Heights on one prettlest and most elevated sites in that subdivision, about 1,100 feet north of Faston avenue. A lot of 50x170 feet on the west side of Semple avenue has already been bought through C. H. Gleason & Co.'s agency from Adam Wiest at \$15 a foot, John W. Allen, acting as trustee for the congregation, being the purchases The proposed edifice will be known as Grad Presbyterian Church. It was organized last December as a Home Mission by the Presby tery of St. Louis consisting of

W. Allen, D. D., Rev. S. C. Palmer and Rev. George E. Martin. Rev. Alex Walker, Superintendent of State Missions, aided in gathering the flock, which now numbers about thirty members, and in arranging for a house for them. Charles Means was elected and ordained ruling elder, and Rev. S. C. Armstrong has been appointed to take charge of the church. He has been among the people several weeks and they are enthusiastic over the prospect of soon getting into their own place of worship. Arrangements to com-mence building are well advanced and the work is to be completed with the least pos A \$13,000 DEAL

Joseph C. Darst perfected a \$18,000 transaction to day between Mrs. R. C. Greer and P. McCarthy.

In this deal Mr. McCarthy has acquired from Mrs. Greer two plots of ground fronting 150 feet by a depth of 150 each on both the north and south lines of Labadie avenue, about 800 feet west of Marcus, in Greer's subdivision, where the streets have been entire sewered and graded. Florida place lies just north of this plot, and since the section improved and put upon the market last spring a good deal of building has been com-menced there, and some of the houses are now about completed. In the negotiations between the parties, this Labadie avenue ground was figured in at \$25 a foot to Mr.
McCarthy, and in exchange for it Mrs. Green
has acquired two parcels of improved property, said to proproved property, said to produce about \$1,400 a year. This improved property, which Mri McCarthy has

disposed of, consists of the two stone-front. disposed of, consists of the two stone-front, eight-room dwellings occupying 40x150 feet of ground nombered 2924 and 2926 Sheridan av-enue, and two two-story buildings arranged in four flats, occuping 50x20 feet of ground Nos. 2601 and 2908 North Elliott avenue. DR. MUDD'S PROPERTY SOLD.

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Alfred Carr & Co. have sold the residence property at the northeast corner of Twenty-eighth and Locust streets for \$15,000 to W. H. Glasgow, who is going to make the place his home. The premises consist of \$5x137 feet of country with a ten room stone front and ground, with a ten-room stone front and mansard-roofed dwelling and a large stable.
Lingenfelder & Bokern sold 300x130 feet of
ground situate on the south side of old Manchester road, near Magnolia avenue, the
property of Lingenfelder & Wenzlick, at \$15 a oot, to Louis Fasterling. The same firm also reports the sale of a 57x124-foot lot, located on the southeast corner of Park and Ohio avenues, at \$45 a foot, from John B. Roeder

OTHER SALES.

A. K. Florida & Co. report the sale of 350x 135 feet of ground on the south line of Ken-135 feet of ground on the south line of Ken-nerly avenue, commencing 150 feet east of Marcus avenue, at \$16 a foot (\$5,600), trom A. K. Florida, trustee; to W. P. Croswhite. C. H. Gleason & Co. sold 30x140 feet of ground on the south line of Wells avenue, op-posite the Christian Brothers' College, be-tween King's highway and Academy avenue, at \$20 a foot, from George Smith to Andrew Harles.

AN IMPROVING SECTION. From the start already been made the indi-cations are that the residence section south of Tower Grove Park is going to be built up

of Tower Grove Park is going to be built up very rapidly this spring. One new dwelling in that locality is nearing completion and the construction of five others has been started. Builders who are familiar with what is going on in that quarter, say contracts have already been entered into to build twenty-eight houses, south of the park, west of Grand avenue. Property all through there is comparatively low price yet, but it will enhance in value rapidly soon as the projected building improvements are well under way. North of Tower Grove Park, in Tyler place, ground commands a much higher price.

AN EXTENSIVE IMPROVEMENT.

Anton Meglitsch, who purchased the Tan-

Anton Meglitsch, who purchased the Tan Dr. Murray and wife are at Hotel Eastman, Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Samuel Rockwell of San Francisco and ground, 185x200 feet, with very handsome flat buildings which will involve an outlay of

A citizens' meeting at New Brighton Satur-day night was addressed by Mayor Stephens of East St. Louis, by invitation. The speaker showed plainly that the progress of the two places would be best continued by a consoli-dation. The free mail delivery, which East St. Louis will have next July, will alone pay the New Brighton people for joining their

fortunes with the city. Lowest Priced House in America for Fine DIAMONDS.

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O'SHEA WILL NOT DISCUSS IT.

The Farmers Move to Make the Office of

Grain Inspector Elective. The bill introduced by Representative Weinolt in the State Legislature, making the office of Grain Inspector elective instead of appointive, as it is at present, and raising it to the dignity of a department on its own foundation, has passed the second reading and will soon come up for consideration. When the bill come up for consideration. When the bill was introduced it was given out that it was a move on the part of the Farmers' Alliance to secure control of the office. The farmers want the office and want it bady, as Railroad Commissioner Hickman has stated on more than one occasion. The term of Joseph O'Shea, the present Inspector, does not expire until next November, when the three Railroad Commissioners will elect his successor, if the Weinolt bill fails to become a law. The bill provides that the present incumbent shall hold until his successor is elected at the next State election, which takes elected at the next State election, which takes place in November, 1892. Mr. Weinolt, the author of the bill, is a wealthy miller of Perry County and is not classed with the Farmers' Alliance members. In connection with his bill he has stated that the office ought to be elective, and that he introduced the act to make it so. It is claimed that if the bill does become a law the Farmers' Alliance Democrats will have enough influence in the convention to dictate the nomination of one of their representatives for the place. As the bill extends the tonure place. As the bill extends the tenure of O'Shea's term, it is the impression that he is eager to see it passed, even though it might be an advantage to the leaders of the F. & L. U. who have been antagonizing him. In conversation with a POST-DISPATCH reporter this morning Inspector O'Shea said he did not know what influences were back of the bill. "I will get a copy of it as soon as it is printed," he said, "and then I will be in a better position to discuss it. For the present, however, I would care to say nothing about it."

As the Board of Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners with the members will have a lively time of it selecting O'Shen's successor if the bill fails to pass. Commissioner Hennessy is the member who went in with ex-Commissioner Downing to elect O'Shea just before Downing's term expired. To facilitate the selection of O'Shea and give Downing a chance to vote before Hickman came in office, ex-Inspector Burks sent in his resignation just before Christmas. Com-missioners Breathitt and Downing did not like this political coup d'etat a particle and have since given free vent to their feelings on nessy can be induced to support any candidate named by Breathitt or Hickman and its claimed that Hickman and Breathitt will hardly be able to reach a conclusion. Hick man wants a genuine farmer for the place, and in this demand he has the support of U. S. Hall and the entire machinery of the Farmers' and Laborers' Union. He holds that the farmers are enti-tled to the office and ought to have it.

The advocates of Weinolt's bill say that i will put a stop to all quibbling in the Board of Railroad Commissioners and thereby enhance the efficiency of the department.

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Robbed of a Diamond Stud.

John Baslow, living at Fourteenth an Papin streets, complained to Officer Dickson of the Central District about 11 o'clock this norning that half an hour before he had been robbed of a diamond stud, valued at \$100 while in a room in rear of the saloon at Nintl and Chestnut streets. His companion, a wo and giving her name as Mamie Vogel, was rested. A warrant charging the prison rested. A warrant enarging the prisoned with grand larceny has been sworn out. The diamond was not recovered.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate

JAMES JOHNSTON, well-known in the Union Market where he was in the fish business fo a long time, died of apoplexy in Sait Lak City Jan. 7. He leaves a wife and two children.



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Warrants for Petit Larceny. Warrants were sworn out at the Four courts this morning charging Wm. Davis and Albert Harris with Petit larceny. The defendants were arrested yesterday by Officer McGrath of the Third District for stealing a

quantity of iron and tools from the Western Forge & Tool Works, 1230 Collins street. The property was found in Sam Banks' second hand store, 1231 South Second street. MERMOD & JACCARD JEWELRY CO.

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AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT. GRAND OPERA-HOUSE-"Hands Across, the Sea."

POPE'S-Maggie Mitchell. HAVLIN'S-"The Limited Mail."

Weather forecast for twenty-four hours, beginning at 8 a.m. to-day, for Missouri: Local rains, likely turning into mow; winds shifting to decidedly colder, northwesterly.

Weather forecast for twenty-four hours beginning at 8 a.m. to-day, for St. Louis: Rain or snow; colder.

THE State Legislature has buried the Noland defalcation, but the stench of it is still in the nostrils of the people of Mis-

THE Democrats in the State Legislature do not appear to realize that silent contempt is not a satisfactory answer to direct charges.

THE capture of St. Louis by an aggressive and progressive citizens' alliance would be submitted to with graceful com-

By resisting the impudent importunities of spoils-seeking Congressmen, Postmaster HARLOW has earned the approval of the whole city of St. Louis.

will afford him an opportunity to be constent in his political methods.

PRESIDENT HARRISON should explain the process of reasoning by which he recognizes the need of reform in the Indian service, but at the same time declares that It has been excellent in all respects.

THE citizens of St. Louis will take an increased appropriation for the City Insane Asylum as a substitute for all the special legislation contemplated by the members of the State Legislature in behalf of St.

AN investigation of the Minnesota State Prison by a legislative committee has disclosed the fact that the convicts were abundantly supplied with tools and weapons of all descriptions. A resolution of thanks to the convicts for their distinguished forbearance from murder and escape seems to be the proper thing.

EMPEROR WILLIAM is reported to have written a book entitled "What the Hohenzollerns Have Done for the Welfare of the People." He has doubtless followed in his book the theory adopted in his conduct, that the Hohenzollerns are the people, and upon this basis he has had ample material the railroads would be delighted, but the

No city in the Union could have been selected in which the remains of Gen. SHERMAN would be laid to rest with deeper sorrow or a more sincere expression of eseem on the part of the citizens than St. Louis, The people of St., Louis appreciate the honor of providing his tomb as much on account of the man as of the famous

In the general rejoicing by Republicans over the Cleveland silver letter, the probability that President HARRISON will have an opportunity to veto a free coinage bill has been overlooked. Mr. CLEVELAND'S letter merely expressed the opinion of a private citizen, whereas President HARRIson's veto would place the Republican Ad-

An insidious but most venomous form of attack upon Mr. CLEVELAND is that pretended unwillingness to give him up which assumes that his outspoken and aggressive hostility to the coinage of the Bland dollar, even in limited quantities, will be no bar to his election on a free coinage platform. What has he ever done of the coinage platform. What has he ever done of the coinage platform. What has he ever done of the coinage platform of the man who happens to be caught is found in the row over the coinage platform. What has he ever done of the man who happens to be caught is found in the row over the coinage platform. What has he ever done of the man who happens to be caught is found in the row over the coinage platform. What has he ever done of the man who happens to be caught is found in the row over the coinage platform. What has he ever done of the man who happens to be caught is found in the row over the coinage platform. What has he ever done of the man who happens to be caught is found in the row over the coinage platform. What has he ever done of the man who happens to be caught is found in the row over the coinage platform. What has he ever done of the man who happens to be caught is found in the row over the coinage platform. coinage platform. What has he ever done Gordon-Cummings gain

to give anybody a right to pose him in any ach double-dealing act? He would be one of the last men in the Union to stultify himself and his party in that way. Besides, he has political sense enough to know that there is such a thing as a political conscience among the people, if not among the politicians, and he of all men would stand the poorest chance of election on a free coinage platform. The candidate would defeat the platform and the platform the candidate.

SILVER AND THE PRESIDENCY.

Before the candidates for President are nominated in 1892 the Fifty-second Congress, which meets next December, will have held its long session. It will have a majority of more than two-thirds for free coinage in the House and a large majority for free coinage in the Senate, but probably not quite enough to pass it over President HARRISON'S veto. But the situation may result in a compromise which will take the silver question out of the contest of 1892 as a paramount issue.

The results of that session may be such as to rally both parties around new candidates who are now scarcely thought of. Any prediction as to who the candidates on either side will be must depend for its fulfillment entirely upon the action of Congress. It may be a Cleveland and Blaine fight yet, if the silver question can be settled in time, and CLEVELAND's friends, who are probably a majority of the silver Democrats, will for his sake do their best to secure a settlement which will eliminate the issue from the contest of 1892.

If they fail in the effort the silver question will be as dominant in '92 as the tariff question was in '88, and Mr. CLEVELAND will be as possible a candidate for the Republicans as for the Democrats. The Republicans in the meantime will do their best to reserve the free coinage fight for 1892. It is their only hope of dividing and conquering the Democratic party. They have been hadly beaten on the tariff question, have less to lose by internal division on the silver question than on any other, and they see in it another strong

pull on the money power for them. If HARRISON can make himself the hero of a successful free coinage veto, BLAINE and reciprocity will scarcely be heard of in the Republican Convention and no antisilver man will get a Western or Southern vote in the Democratic Convention.

THE State Legislature is dealing with delicate and dangerous subject in considering legislation designed for the purpose of suppressing a certain class of newspapers. Laws of this sort are sometimes capable of being twisted into clubs for the intimidation of the press in general. If history has any lesson it is the danger of tampering with the liberty of the press. Only just general laws holding newspapers to strict responsibility for the abuse of liberty are safe. They are amply sufficient to prevent newspaper license and vicious publication f properly enforced.

Gov. PATTISON has not written a letter on the silver question, but he has just vetoed a bill providing for the printing and gratuitous circulation of 10,000 copies of his message. He took the ground that the WHEN CAL BRICE makes up his mind to expenditure was uncalled for, as the newsget rid of his Senatorship the auction-room papers had already given every reading family in the State a copy of the message. f it should turn out that he is as favorabl Democrats may still be able to find some available presidential timber on the eastern slope of the Alleghenies.

> THE refusal of the Democratic majority of the State Legislature to uncover the facts of the Noland defalcation is naturally regarded as an admission of fear that the acts may reflect upon the State administration. But this cowardice of Democratic legislators is more damaging to their party than the revelation of scandalous conduc on the part of any of its officials could be.

> ONE of the queer features of the alleged opposition to Postmaster HARLOW is that while he is charged with a violation of civil service rules he is also charged with excessive devotion to civil service reform. An indictment of this kind which is framed to catch a man whether he is guilty or inocent indicates an excess of desire to catch the man without regard to his offense

> If the special jury law made for cities of 100,000 inhabitants were enforced for one eason in the country as it is in St. Louis, next session of the Legislature would wipe it out by a large majority. It needs reconstruction to restere the right of trial by impartial juries to the poor class of litigants in St. Louis.

> WE beg to remind the legislators of this State that the coinage of silver is not a proper subject of legislation for them to onsider and that they are not paid to debate political resolutions and draw up national political platforms. The Legislature has fully as much as it can attend to in the making of laws for Missouri-perhaps

THE charge of nepotism is made against the State Board of Railway Commissioners as a reason for making the officers appointive instead of elective. Anything which takes the power out of the hands of ship of the Governor is in favor at Jefferson

which involves the Prince of Wales. It is absurd to suppose that the English did not know that gambling has been continually indulged in by officers of the army, and yet the British moral sense was not shocked until a scandal brought into public notice the fact that the Prince and officers of the highest rank violated the army regulations and poured contempt upon the gambling

The Case of Senator Brice

From the Pittsburg Dispatch.
In entering a protest against the election of Calvin S. Brice as United States Senator in Congress from Ohio, the Republicans of the Ohio Legislature probably furnished a peg on which to hang an investigation re-Mr. Brice's residence by the United State Senate. What the Senate will do in the matter can only be conjectured. It will probably be governed by conflicting partisan prejudice on the other. Meantime the plain, every-day resident of Ohio or New York than he will for the sad reflection that he will probably represent neither State so much as the powerful corporate interests he is connected with

From the Cincinnati Commercial Gazette. We notice this healdine in the 'Can Reed Defeat Free Coinage?'' Well, we hope he can. We should be delighted to see him exert his tyrannical disposition to the see the despot trample upon the screeching steam chests to blow with. It would be an intense pleasure to us to see Reed stamping upon the privileges of the House with both feet and gagging Democratic members with both hands to defeat free coinage, for free coinage would be a huge swindle and dis-

Crowns for Women.

From the Indianapolis News. The latest fashion for women is crowns Having so long been accustomed to hear themselves referred to as queens they have decided to adopt the insignia. Mrs. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Ogden Mills and Mrs. Dr. Seward Webb have appeared at the opera New York with their crowns on and paralyzed crown was made by a London jeweler in exact imitation of Queen Victoria's and cost \$300,000. Those of the other two ladies are not quite so expensive, but they are big, towering affairs that make the audience forget all about the play when their owners appear in the boxes.

More Blaine Luck.

From the Baltimore Sun. Mr. Blaine has the faculty of doing his political sleeping with one eye open, and while he is not saying much he is probably leaders of the Republican party ignored him n the tariff legislation, and Mr. Blaine smiled in his sleep when he heard something drop He is now doubtless smiling again at the disof the force bill. It must make him think a bigger man than himself, and that he can still give them a good many points on practical politics.

A Press Raid on the Treasury.

From the Laddonia Herald. The Herald has been aware for some time that a bill would be introduced into the present Legislature by the Missouri Press Associa. tion providing for the publication of the laws in the newspapers. The bill was introduced into both Houses last week, and we here enter our emphatic condemnation of its main provisions. It is nothing less than a proposed Treasury raid. It places the Missouri

The Delayed World's Fair.

rom the Philadelphia Record.

The supreme self-confidence with which the Chicagoans dally along in their preparations for some sort of a World's Fair two years ence is calculated to paralyze the average astern intellect. Here in Phili where the enormous weight and extent of the task to be performed are fully recognized, the eople find it difficult to conceive that a fair of international magnitude and dignity can eally be evolved in the limited time at the disposal of the promoters of the undertaking.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

SUBSCRIBER.—The party scoring high jack goes out first. J. S. H.-Addresses of business firms a

ot published in this column.

READER.—Confederate currency value whatever save as waste paper. erson sent to the penitentiary by a State

CONSTANT READER.-Write to the Congress nan representing your district for the docu-tents you wish to obtain.

ARGUMENT.—There are various methods of manufacturing ite. What is known as the ammonia process is the most common one.

MARIGOLD CLUB.—A Catholic can legally be elected President of the United States. There is no religious qualification whatever attached

KID .- It would be very difficult for a bill be collected from a man, married or other wise, who has no property, but a citizen of a foreign State would have the same rights as

Domestic Three-Card Monte.

Husband and wife playing cards. Wife: "Let us play for something." Husband: "Well, what shall it be?" Wife: "Let us play for a new slik dress. If you lose I'll go around to Macy's with you and pick out the dress, and if I lose you can

pick it out; but it mustn't cost less than All Boston Girls Have Those Already. From the Norristown Herald.

A man who married a Boston girl presented his bride with a pair of diamond earrings valued at \$500. She was greatly disapper with the gift. She told a friend the

would have preferred a pair of gold eye glasses and the complete works of Emerson Reckless of His Shirt Bosom.

From the Clothier and Furnisher. Father: "Does that young Simpkins fello all on you every night in a dress suit?" Daughter: "Yes, father." Father: "What do you think his intention

Daughter: "It looks as if he intended to wear that dress suit out."

Expensive Fad in Chicago. From the Philadelphia Record.
Nearly every bride nowadays has her bridel slippers silver plated. One is kept as a souvenir and the other is given to the bride's

SPOILED A JUROR.

M. McFadden of the Vail Panel Over heard a Remark of Mr. Dryden.

TUROR REYBURN EXPRESSES HIS OPIN ION OF MR. M'DONALD'S ACTION.

ne of the Jurors Found to Be Disqualified Because He Was Not Naturalized-An Exceedingly Lively Day in Court With the Jurymen-The Panel at Last Com

The crowd that gathers in the court ro whenever the Vail case is on the docket is growing familiar now for it fills the benches and aisle whenever the case is set for hear moves that are made in that desperate game of the forty-eight jurors who had been se lected as competent, from whom the twelve would be selected if there were not further challenges for cause. Usually but forty seven are chosen, but in view of the chal lenge of Mr. Rufus Taylor by the de fense, when Mr. Taylor stated under oath he had neither formed nor expressed an opinion, Gov. Johnson agreed to the selection of a forty-eighth juror to tion of Mr. Taylor, and Gov. Johnson said he The question that arose this morning was show that Mr. Taylor was disqualified. Gov. Johnson was inclined to insist that Mr. Taylor should have an opportunity

to show that he made no mis-statements. Mr. McDonald exonerated Mr. Taylor from any intentional wrong and said that he had no idea that Mr. Taylor made any intentionally wrong statements, but still lor was not a competent juror. Gov. John on said that with this statement from Mr. McDonald he would consent to the release of

alled into the box as he desired to disclos the report concerning the disqualfication

the report concerning the disquamication of one or two jurors.

The Court would not call in the panel, and Mr. McDonald then asked that Juror Arthur W. Heimberger be called. Mr. Heimberger was called in and Mr. McDonald then stated to the Court that Mr. Heimberger had com to him and told him that his wife was a cousin of Mrs. Vail and that relationship would bias his judgment. The court directed the examination of the

juror, and when Mr. Heimberger was asked what his connection with the defendant's family was he said: "My wife is a cousin of Mr. Hayden of St. Charles County, who is a cousin of either the Vails or Slaterys, I don't know which. Mr.

Hayden comes to my house twice a month and that is the way I found it out." On being questioned Mr. Heimberger said erys was, and that he thought he could try case impartially. Mr. McDonald said

then that he would not press the challenge and Mr. Heimberger was told to resume his

and ar. Heimberger was told to resume his seat with the jurors.

MR. SOMMERVILLE'S CASE.

Mr. J. C. Sommerville was then called, and Mr. McDonald stated the contents of the anonymous letter which he had received, in anonymous letter which he had received, in which the writer, an ex-employed the Mis-souri Glass Co., said that Mr. Sommerville was employed by that company, of which S. A. Gore was Vice-President. S. A. Gore, the writer said, was a brother of C. H. Gore, the agent of the Preferred Mutual Accident In rance Co., in which Mrs. Vail was insure "voir dire" Mr. Sommerville said that he knew Mr. Gore and had had some business relations with him. He also said that he had formed an opinion in the case, but if he was called into the jury-box he would try to lay aside that opinion, and he thought he could try the case solely on the

Mr. Sommerville's testimony was read by stenographer Johnson, and the court then overruled the challenge. Mr. McDonald said he wished to ask some questions. The court ion the court had already ruled and that was

tions and was given permission to do so. He asked Mr. Sommerville if he was now emloyed by the Missouri Glass Co He replied that he was not and had not bee

employed by that company since 1862. He had no connection with the company except that some of the people in it were relations of his. He did not work with Mr. C. H. Gore and knew him only slightly. The court then overruled the challenge, and Mr. McDonald excepted. Mr. McDonald then asked that all the forty-seven jurors be called as he wanted to ask some questions to show whether any of the jurors had changed their

minds concerning this case since their exam-THE DEFENDANT'S RIGHT.

"The defendant has a right to ask those questions after the jury is sworn even, certainly before," said Mr. McDonald. The court wanted to call twelve at a time.

Mr. McDonald insisted on having all fortyseven called. The court expressed its willingness to accommodate the attorney for the defense, and Mr. McDonald rose and said:

"I want it understood, your Honor, that his is no matter of accommodation. The defendant has a right to have this panel called and he insists upon it as a legal right," "Call the panel, Mr. Sheriff," said the court, and all the jurors were given seats in-

when they were seated Mr. McDonald asked Mr. Wm. D. S. Smith if he had taken out naturalization papers.
"No, sir," was the reply.
"I challenge the juror," said Mr. McDonald

The Court: "I regret that you did not men-tion this before. Of course you will stand aside."

Mr. Mudd: "Well, your Honor, there is more to ask. Maybe he was born here." The Court: "Oh yes." Mr. Mudd: "How old were you when you

ome to this country?"

Mr. Smith: "Twenty-six."
The Court: "Stand aside."
Mr. Henry McFadden, another juror, was asked by Mr. McDonald if he was in the store

"Iwas not," said Mr. McFadden.
"Do you know that he bought a pistol there?"

"Well, he did. Did you hear what he sai when he was in there?" "Not directly."
"Did you hear it indirectly?"
"Mr. Dryden spoke to the manager. I was
standing ten or twelve feet away and heard
what he said."
"Would the remark made by him influence
you or change your mind?"
"Well, it has been in my mind."
"Would it influence you?"

"Yes, SIR."
A QUESTION OF PROPRIETY.
"Did it influence you or did it only make you think more seriously of the case?"
"It only made me think more seriously of the case. It has been in my mind ever since." you think mor

"What was said?" Mr. McDonald: "Never mind, I don't wish to raise any question of that kind." Mr. Dryden: "Let him speak, there was

Mr. McDonald: "I think it was imprope for one of the attorneys to go in a store w two jurors are employed and to make statement there."

statement there."

Mr. McDonald then asked Mr. McFadden if
Mr. Dryden did not say that he was going to
experiment with that pistol and an overcoat to show that accident could not have oc-

Mr. McFadden: "He spoke of some exper-ments. I presume they referred to this The Court: "Is your mind in the same state

"I don't know that it is as impartial as it

The Court: "You are excused."
Mr. Charles Armbruster, who is also ployed at Simmons', was asked if he pressed an opinion. Mr. Steppe made the same answer. Netther was challenged.

Mr. Edward E. Rayburn was then examined, and Mr. McDonald asked, "Mr. Rayburn, you have talked about this case since "Yes, sir, I have," replied Mr. Reyburn

very severely.

'You have formed an opinion since then?' THE JUROR'S OPINION.

"I have formed no opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the defendant, but I have expressed my opinion of your action."

"I'Vol. **Opinion** of the defendant of the defe

the attorney?"
"Yes. I said I did not see why you acted as
you did if you had the evidence you claim to "Do you still think you would be an im

'You expressed an opinion of my action as

partial juror?"
"Yes, but I rather not serve." "I challenge the juror."

The Court (to Mr. McDonald): "I will say to you, sir, that I will overrule the chal-

Mr. McDonald: "We save our exception The other jurors were acceptable to both sides, and no question was raised concerning them. The Court announced that a panel of jurors would be on hand at 2 o'clock and from that panel the two vacancies would be filled. The prosecution will hand the de-fense its list of peremptory challenges to-day and the defense will probably take the fortyenges, so the taking of testimony will proba

Speaking of his visit to the hardware store. what he wanted to prove by experts and asked him if he was an expert. He did not know a soul in the store and did not know

MISSOURI MATTERS

Flag Presentation to Cadets-News Notes From Ferguson.

CLINTON, Mo., Feb. 16 .- At the close of the exercises of the Clinton Academy Literary So-ciety Saturday night Col. T. J. Lingle, on behalf of the young ladies of the academy, pre sented a star-spangled banner to the cadets

BOONVILLE BUDGET.
BOONVILLE, Feb. 16.—Mr. W. Speed Stephens and family, who have been visiting a week in St. Louis, returned yesterday. The Farmers' Alliance held a meeting h spahr of St. Louis, who has been visiting relatives here for the past two weeks, left for her home last night. She will stop off for a few days at Moberly. The K. of P. Lodge of this city, now numbering over one hundred members, is in a most flourishing condition, fatal cases reported. Mrs. Allen T. Showers low of Omaha, Neb., and a former reside he establishment of a plant for the manu facture of that much-needed article. The trial of the two suspect train wreckers, who are now confined in Jail here, takes place in about two weeks. Much feeling is manifested on the part of our citizens concerning them, especially those in the vicinity of Otterville,

he scene of the wreck. of Chicago, Ill., is visiting Mr. Edward Tiffin. Mrs. Chauncey Hawley of Galesburg, Ill., is parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton visiting ner parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton.
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Shirley of St. Louis
spent Saturday and Sunday with their
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Tiffin.
Prof. B. W. McLane spent Sunday with his

family in Ferguson. The choir for Easter Sunday will have its econd rehearsal at Mr. Farnham's residence

to-night. Mrs. Howard of Versailles, Ky., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Laton.
Mr. Oscar Reid has purchased Mr. Newton's
house and lot, and after making several additions to the house will make it his future

Mrs. George Seymore and Mrs. D. B. Howard have gone to Ithica, N. Y., with the remains of their mother, Mrs. Cecella Squires. Mr. H. S. Thompson, Station Agent at Ferguson, has received a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. J. R. Vineyard, wife of Mr. J. R. Vineyard, conductor, or one of the Fer J. R. Vineyard, conductor on one of the Ferguson accommodation trains. Mr. and Mrs. Vineyard went to Hot Springs, Ark., some four weeks ago for their health. The remains will be brought to St. Louis this morning and from there will be taken to Moberly, Mo. where they will be intered.

io., where they will be interred. ATTRACTIONS OF THE WEEK.

Openings at the Theaters Last Night Other Amusement Events. All of the local theaters, except the Olympic and Pope's, inaugurated engage fresh attractions last night and to good

English melodrama of a stirring sort, with the usual mingling of virtue, villainy, comedy and realistic scenery was made known at the Grand in Pettitt's "Hands Across the Sea." "The Limited Mail," with a thrilling story and sensational railroad scene, with trimmings of electric effects and narrow escapes, had two large audiences at Havlin's.

Mattle Goodrich and Wild Joe appeared at the Standard in the sensational border drama, "Golden Gulch," to fine audiences.

Maggie Mitchell will open her engagement at Pope's to-night with "Fanchon."

E. H. Sothern, who has won a high place in the favor of St. Louisans, appears at the Olympic to-night in Jerome's "Malster of Woodbarrow," in which he has achieved success in New York and elsewhere. He will be supported by the original company who produced the play at the Lyceum Theater.

In a free fight in the saloon at 601 South Second street yesterday evening, Frank Haak, 202 South Broadway, received a scalp Haak, 20 South Broadway, received a scalp wound and two slight cuts on the cheeks, while Frank Short, 21 Chouteau avenne, was cut on the left cheek. Their wounds were dressed at the City Dispensary. Haif an hour later James Judge was arrested by Offi-cers Tebeau and Manion. His victims re-fused to prosecute him on a criminal charge Court charged with disturbing the peace. To day the case was continued until the 23d inst. on account of Haak's injuries.

BETTER AND CHEAPER.

UPT. O'REILLY FAVORS THE EXTENSION OF THE ELECTRIC LIGHTING SYSTEM.

The Ohio Valley Lighting Co.'s Proposition Districts Not Approved—The Conduit Ordinances—Pontoon Bridge Fight.

AFFAIRS IN ILLINOIS.

Farmers Have a Big Wolf Drive—Admiral

at the City Hall, Saturday, Feb. 28, at 8

o'clock p. m.

Miss Winnie Anderson of St. Louis and Mrs.

James Moulton of Oklahoma are the guests of
Mrs. Estelle Langan.

Lenten services are being held at Christ
Church, this city, by Rev. J. G. Wright, Tuesday and

Church, this city, by Rev. J. G. Wright, Tuesday and Thursday evenings.
At SS. Peter and Paul's Church Lenten services are being held by Rev. Father Dagenhardt Wednesdays and Fridays.
The luncheon given to the ladies' society of the M. E. Church Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Laura Combs was a very pleasant affair. A number were present. A short time was spent in business, after which Mrs. Combs served many dainties which were fully appreciated by the young ladies.

St. Jacob, Ill., Feb. 16.—Mr. F. Sahler, the grain dealer, left this morning for Cincinnati

and thence South. He expects to be gone about two weeks. Mrs. Neuman died this morning after suffering a long time with consumption. Mr. Jacob Spies sold his farm to Jacob Fehmel for 80 per acre. This is one of the best improved farms in this section. The mask ball on Sunday night was a grand affair and largely attended. Messrs. Leo Beell.

mask ball on Sunday night was a grand affair and largely attended. Messrs. Leo Beell, Otto Hochuli and a number of others spent Sunday with friends in this city. Misses Nohl and Williams of Fillmore, Ill., Sundayed with J. C. Williams. The F. M. B. A. lodges in this precinct have put in nomination a full ticket for the various township

offices, election to take place April 7. Mr. A. Pyle, the oldest resident of this township, is still very ill at his home, three miles southeast of here. The Enterprise Mills, having

ompleted putting in the additional ma

chinery, are running on full time. Some wheat is being shipped in and the local re-

GALENA, Ill., Feb. 16 .- One of the last letters

Drenning of this city, who was pilot on board

the United States steamer Cricket, the flag-ship of the fleet engaged in the Red River ex-pedition during the war, which Porter com-manded. The Admiral heard in some way

the Confederate batteries of Alexandria. The

vessel was riddled with shot and almost dis-

abled, but finally got through. Drenning re-ceived two wounds, but refused to leave his post until the danger was over.

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Feb. 16.-The farmers in

he western part of this county had a wolf

drive last Saturday, some nine hundred peo-

drive last Saturday, some nine hundred people in all, including women and children, taking part. Each was armed with a club or stick and they formed a circle or square nearly eight miles in circumference and then gradually marched to the center of the ring. One poor wolf was found and clubbed to death and twenty-one rabbits. A number of pigs, lambs, ducks, geese and chickens have recently been killed by wolves in that part of the county and the farmers expected to catch all the destroyers in this way. Another drive is to come off on the 28th of February.

MONTICELLO, Ill., Feb. 16.-The decision of

the Circuit Court here in favor of Mrs

by her husband, Wm. O. Dorr, meets with the approval of almost the entire population of Monticello. The feeling is very bitter

Suicided in Texas.

GREENFIELD, Ill., Feb. 16 .- E. M. Middleton

of this city received a message at a late hour Saturday night stating that his brother Elmer

Frances H. Dorr in the divorce suit brought

COLLINSVILLE, Feb. 16.-The De

This morning Inspector of City Lighting A O'Reilly in speaking of the Ohio Valley Co.'s ordinance said:

"We don't want the matter handled in tha way at all. We do not want a fixed contract for so many lamps for a specified length of time. What we want is a stock of our own amps which we can put up and take down lamps now in use and all put in later are only temporary. We put them there until we can make arrangements for electricity, so that we don't want to establish the gasoline lights on a permanent basis.

"I have done a little figuring on the subject and find that to light a given area better service at cheaper prices can be had with electric lights than with anything else, bearing in mind, of course, that our lights here are cheaper than anywhere else."

The bill Mr. O'Reilly spoke of is one to se cure a ten-year contract with the city fo lighting with gasoline lamps such portions of the city not otherwise provided for. Under this bill the city would have to maintain at least a thousand gasoline lamps.

The Pontoon Bridge Fight

The pontoon bridge fight took a queer turn iday, and it now looks as if the last hope or a bridge of that kind had been wiped out. When the first pontoon bridge bill was ve-ned by Mayor Noonan a new one was immediately drawn up and introduced. It was by the same company and for the same purposes as the old one, and brought up the question as to whether the vetoed bill could be reintro-

duced in that manner.

The title was changed and the pontoon bridge was called a floating, viaduct.

From the title of its original appearance there have been several people who wanted a share in the bridge and who wanted to be let the one profit ble pedie. All requests for adin on a profitable basis. All requests for admission were, however, very briefly and pointedly rejected. In return some of those who were not let into the original bill have made a copy of the second one and introduced it into the House of Delegates. To all ap-pearances both bills are just alike, save in

the difference in the names of the incor

Samuel Frazer, Luke McLaughlin and James From present indications it looks as if the new bill would be kept along with the old one and eventually compel the Assembly to reject both of them.

Amendments Will Be Made,

The Union Depot ordinance is still in the ands of the joint committee of the House of elegates, where it is being considered, and from indications it appears that amendments will be made. The whole affair has settled down to a question of what to do with Clark venue. The value and necessity of that par-icular street at that particular place seems to have grown enormously and at the new valuation it is being considered. What the result upon the ordinance will be sult upon the ordinance will be doubtful, as the Depot company is bed doubtful, as the Depot company is bed doubtful, as the Depot company is bed ce will be is now ver

President Burnet of the Board of Public Im rovements is still trying to move some of he conduit bills and find out just what the

ituation is. There are several of these ordinances before the House, but they have been left unnoticed while the fight for a general measure has been going on in Jefferson City. This meas ure is in a very sorry plight now, on ac count of the overzealous interference of the city officials. Finding that there is but little hope of relief from the State Legislature the members of the board here are again turning their attention to the local leg-

Mr. Barnet said this morning: "Get the a very simple matter to arrange anything that may turn up."

It is not probable that there will be any

FIRED ON A POLICEMAN.

Officer Maloney Has a Very Narrov

Escape From Being Shot.

About 10 o'clock last night Officers Gocking and Maloney were standing on the corner of

come angered at some small boys who were throwing stones at Sixteenth and Cass ave-nue, and fired in the air in order to frighten the youngsters away. He can be identified if arrested.

To-night a jubilee service of song will be held at the Trinity M. E. Church, Tenth and North Market streets. A most excellent programme will be presented.

Otto Bohmer has succeeded the late Sam Burnett in the directory of the North End Building & Loan Association.

Holmes & Co., wholesale lumber men, are to put up a saw-mill plant at Memphis, Tenn.,

the new Municipal Assembly comes in. CRAZY ON RELIGION.

MASCOUTAH, Ill., Feb. 16.-The public Patrick Mallon, a Fanatic, Sent to the Work-House. schools of this city will give a joint entertain ment at the Opera-house Saturday evening, Feb. 21, in commemoration of the anniver-sary of Washington's birthday. After the ex-ercises the local G. A. R. post will present the public schools with a handsome flag. The insane exhorter, Patrick Mallon, was again in the First District Police Court to-day. Mallon is a St. Louis character of coniderable note. He is demented on the subject of religion and insists that he has been chosen to preach to the sinners in the highways and by-ways of the city. His persistence in carrying out this conviction has landed him behind the bars dozens of times within the past few years. He which have been conducted by Rev. J. W. Eckman at the M. E. Church at this place for the past live weeks have just closed. Seventydozens of times within the past rew years. He is harmless when permitted to preach where ue pleases, but is apt to do damage when annoyed. Yesterday, Officers McCarthy and Rush of the Fifth District found him chasing several little children on Page avenue and locked him up for the night. He was in the

MR. JOHN M. WHITE is connected with the advertising department of the Post-Disparch with the special object of writing up the business interests of St. Louis and vicinity. Police Court to-day charged with vagrancy, and insisted that he was every day engaged in gardening for West End residents. He falled, however, to substantiate this statement and will go to the Work-house on a fine

A POPULAR PRIEST.

His Parishioners Importune the Arch-bishop Not to Remove Him.

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There is much regret and no end of discussion in the Holy Trinity Catholic parish in North St. Louis about the announcement in the Post-Disparch yesterday that Rev. Father August Thobe, assistant rector of that church, had received an order on Saturday of transfer to Glasgow, Mo. Father Thobe has been assistant to Father Joseph Schroeder for the past two years, and while of an unusual retiring disposition he has created a remarkably popular following without any effort on his part. Very seldom in the local history of the church has a priest, and especially an assistant, become so warmly attached to his partishoners. And seldom have the ecclesiastical authorities been so importuned to recall the order of transfer. As soon as the report was made in the Post-Disparch regarding the change, delegations waited on Vicar-General Brady and Archbishop Henrick asking them to retain Father Thobe in the parish, but so far all of their pleadings have been in vain. Father Thobe will very probably go to his new field in the next two or three days. The Holy Trinity is one of the wealthiest German Catholic parishes in the etity, and seventeenth and Cass avenue, when they neard two shots, which sounded from up Cass heard two shots, which sounded from up Cass avenue. Maloney started to investigate. At Sixteenth street he saw a young man fire again. As soon as he caught sight of the officer he took to his heels, with Maloney in pursuit. The officer gained rapidly, when the stranger turned and fired a shot point-blank in his face. The officer returned the salute, and the stranger shot twice in rapid succession. He then dodged into a yard and disappeared, making good his escape. It was afterwards learned that the man had become angered at some small boys who were The Holy Trinity is one of the wealthiest German Catholic parishes in the city, and

has about 6,000 communicants.
CHURCH CHAT.

Rev. F. P. Gallagher, rector of St. Columbill's Church, has been appointed Chaplain of the Sisters of Mercy's at Cattawissa, Mo.
The Dominican Fathers began a two-weeks'
Lenten mission last night at St. Bridget's
Church. This week will be devoted exclusively for ladies and next week for gentle-

Holmes & Co., wholesale lumber men, are to put up a saw-mill plant at Memphis, Tenn., with a sawing capacity of 25,000 feet of quariered oak lumber daily.

A new manufacturing company under the name of the Mound City Tile Co., has been organised in North St. Louis by Jacob Hand and Harry Strohecker.

A number of ladies in the Holy Trinity Church parish have organised a sewing society to co-operate with the work of the St. Vincent de Paul Society. The ladies devote their work to sewing and the collection of clothing for the needy of the parish.

The Philomathian Society will give a dramatic and musical entertainment after the Lenten season at Oberbeck's Hall, in Baden, for the benefit of Father Phelan's parish.

FALSE RECORD.

A Bellefontaine Cemetery Mystery Unveiled by the Health Office.

THE STRANGE STORY OF TWO BABES BURIED YEARS AGO.

How the Body of Little Florence Dunham a Cholera Victim in '67, Was Stolen or a Permit Issued for That of Edmond F. Heath-Capt. Eystra's Sad Mission to St. Louis.

A remarkable case of apparent falsification of a Board of Health permit for the remova of a body from Bellefontaine Cemetery, making possible the practical robbery of a grave that stately city of the dead in coad daylight, reviving in a pecurity sad way the awful memoof the dread cholera epidemic which devastated St. Louis in 1867, and shrouded still in profound mystery as to the actual particulars of the ghastly offense, developed at the office of Health Commissioner Dudley this morning through a searching investigation concluded at the cemetery in question yester-day. As finally completed by the discovery of the fact that a permit originally issued for the removal of one certain body from Bellefontaine had been so changed as to the removal of another which a similar permit had refused, the case caused the records of the Board of Health to show a startling discrepancy as to the silent inhabitants of the great graveyard in which the scene of the violation of law is laid STORY OF TWO GRAVES.

March 20, 1888, and its number from the official books of the Board of Health was 177.

Returning to his office Dr. Finney and Mortuary Clerk Jacks again referred to the records and looked up Permit No. 177. Then another startling discovery was made. Permit No. 177 read as follows:

THE MYSTERY PARTIALLY CLEARED.

"Permit to remove the body of Edmond F.

"Permit to remove the body of Edmond F. Heath. Died April 16, 1867, in St. Louis at 812

Heath. Died April 16, 1867, In St. Louis at Siz North Ninth street, of convulsions, age 10 months. Buried in Bellefontaine Cemetary. Removed to Kansas City, Mo., March 20, 1888. Undertakers, Smithers & Wagoner. Referring to the original permit, Dr. Finney found that the name of Florence Heath had

undoubtedly been substituted on the permit for that of some other name originally written thereon, as the traces of erasure and substitution could be marked most plainly. He also found from the cem-

etery records that the body of Edward F Heath had never been removed and that it was still resting in its grave at Bellefontaine, despite the written record of its removal to Kansas City shown on the books of the Board

of Health office. There was but one conclusion to be drawn. Some one conclusion to be drawn. Some one applying for a permit to remove the body of Florence Dunham, had been refused. The permit to remove the body of Edmond F. Heath, a child nearly of the same age, and buried in the same year with Florence Dunham had then been applied for end granted.

am, had then been applied for and granted

WILL BE INVESTIGATED.

Investigation will be made to discover the

likely that the result will be a pathetic ad-

mit by the erasure of one name and substi tution of another, which Dr. Finney states

was undoubtedly done, may in itself prove a serious violation of law, and the removal of the body of Florence Dunham without a per-mit plainly violates a rule of the Board of Health provided for in the revised ordi-

nances of the city of St. Louis. The section

of the sanitary ordinance relating to this particular offense reads as follows:
Sec. 9. Every person who shall convey or remove, or assist in conveying or removing the body of any decased person (whether such person shall have died in the city, or shall have been brought to the

ity after death) outside of the limits of the city of t. Louis, without first having obtained from the

ham on March 20, 1888, was seen this morning

Health. The first application for a permit

A few days after that, these gentlemen

ained. Our books would show nothing mo

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signed for the abandonment was that his mother was getting old and wanted him to come and live with her at her home, 8428

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warrant this morning charging Christ

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According to those records, as they stane at present, the body of little Florence Dunham, who died of cholera, Sept. 24, 1867, and was buried in Bellefontaine Cemetery, still rests in the peaceful shades of that beautiful spot. According to these records also, the body of little Edmond F. Heath, who died of convulsions April 16, 1867, and was buried in Bell-fontaine, was on March 20, 1888, just twenty-one years after the child-life was surrendered back to its Creator, disinterred from the grave in which it had slept so long and removed to Kansas City, Mo.

Yet, despite those records, the body of Edmond affeath still reposes in Bellefontaine Cemetery, and the grave of little Florence Dunham is empty. The events leading up to this startling dis-

covery are in themselves so full of a pathetic interest that the story told in its completeness reads more like fiction than fact, and takes its place as by far the strangest of the many strange romances of the dead that have been developed from that booking-office of the dead, the City Mortuary Department. It also still further recalls recollections of the t cholera plague under which St. Louis addered for months, the fearful epidemic 1867, the farewell stroke of the Asiatic

A WIDOWER'S SAD ERRAND.

In the early part of last week Capt. J. W.
Eystra, a prominent citizen of Muscatine, lo, visited St. Louis for a sad purpose. He wished to have the body of his dead wife taken from its grave in Bellefontaine and shipped to Muscatine, where it could be reinterred in the cemetery at that place amidst the remains of others of Capt. Eystra's fam-ily. The body had been for many years in Bellefontaine. In 1867 Capt. Eystra was a resident of St. Louis, living at No. 2632 Clark

His was one of the many thousands of families over whom the black shadow of the cholera gathered in that fatal year, and Mrs.
Mary Eystra, his wife, was one of the great
army of humanity swept away by its remorseless blight and poisonous breath. The records
of the Board of Health office, to which Capt. St. Louis, without first having obtained from the office of the Health Commissioner permission so to do, shall, upon conviction, be fined not less than \$250 nor more than \$500, to be recovered for the use of the city of St. Louis, as in other cases of misdemeanor, before any court or officer having competent jurisdiction; provided, that the provisions of this section shall have no application where bodies in course of transportation pass through St. Louis on their way from one point to another.

THE UNDERTAKERS SEEN.

Mr. John A. Smithers of the undertaking firm of Smithers & Wagoner, who had charge of the removal of the body of Florence Dunham on March 20, 1888, was seen this morning Eystra applied on Wednesday last for a per mit for the removal of his wife's body, showed that Mary Eystra died of cholera, Sept. 28, 1867, and was buried in Bellefontaine Cemey; that she was born in the United States I was 28 years of age at the time of her

A FATAL OBSTACLE,

The one word, "cholera," written in on the printed form after the printed words, "cause of death," rendered impossible the fulfillment of Capt. Eystra's wish to remove the body of his wife from its resting place in Bellefontaine. There is no more stringent rule on the books of the Board of Health than that which apsolutely forbids the reham on March 20, 1888, was seen this morning by a Post-Dispartch reporter and said: "I remember the shipment of the body to Kansas City, but have no knowledge of how the permit for its removal from Bellefontaine Cemetery was obtained from the Board of which absolutely forbids the rehas once been consigned of the body of a person who has died of a highly infectious disease. Such plagues as cholera, yellow was made by Mr. Dunham and myself, but was refused because the records showed that the child had died of cholera. Mr. Dunham then went back to Kansas City, leaving the matter in the hands of some St. Louis friends. fever, diphtheria and the like are the dread diseases carrying this penalty with them. They literally "bury their own dead," and under the sanitary laws of large cities they bury them to remain in one silent spot until awakened by the dawn of the Last Day, when all the dead shall arise. No matter how the years may pass or the dread of disease vanish from the city where the sleeper met death in such a form, there is no relaxation of this rule, no time-limit to its existence. It is eternal in force, and the impossi bility of authorizing the removal of the remains of Mrs. Eystra on Feb. 11, 1891, was equally as great as it was on Sept. 29, 1867.

CAPT. EYSTRA'S STRANGE DISCOVERY Capt. Eista a strange biscovery.

Capt. Eystra was notified by Health Commissioner Dudley that he would not be permitted to remove the body of his wife as demitted to remove the body of his wife as desired. He was greatly disappointed at this ruling, as he had already visited Bellefontaine Cemetery and conferred with the officials regarding the proposed disinterment. He paid another visit to the cemetery after having been refused the permit, and it was during this last visit that a discovery was made from the cemetery records which, at first sight, caused the husband to believe that he was the house fairly dealt with brathe health. not being fairly dealt with by the health officer. He had occasion to refer to the cemetery books for the year in which his wife's burial occurred. Near the entry recording her reception to the silence and rest of Belle Capt. Eystra found the following

surprising record:

"Florence Dunham died Sept. 24, 1867, in St. Louis, at 1426 Morgan street, of cholera, aged 8 months and 15 days. Body removed to Kansas City, Mo., March 20, 1888.

Immediately, noon, making the discovery. Immediately upon making the discovery Capt. Eystra reported the affair to the office of the Board of Health and office of the Board of Health and renewed his application for a permit to remove the body of his wife, since the cemetery records showed that there had been an instance of the body of a person who had died of cholera having been subsequently disinterred and removed. The rule against such action is so irrevocable and rigid that Health Commissioner Dudley and Dr. Seward A. Finney at once began an investigation of its strange violation as reported by Capt. Eystra. The musty. volume in which was contained the mortuary record for the year 1867 was turned to, and its entries carefully examined for the permit referred to, upon which amined for the permit referred to, upon which the body of Florence Dunham had been re moved from its cholera-marked grave. HEALTH OFFICE RECORDS SILENT.

The entry showing the issuing of a burial certificate for Florence Dunham was found, but there was not a line added showing that the body had ever been removed. Yet the record of Beliefontaine Cemetery bear witness that the removal had been made with the sanction of the Board of Health.

Yesterday Dr. Seward A. Finney drove out

Yesterday Dr. Seward A. Finney drove out to the cemetery to investigate deeper into the mysterious affair. He was shown the entry mysterious affair. He was shown the entry recording the removal of the body of Florence Dunham on March 20, 1888, for shipment to Kansas City, the undertakers having charge of the removal being Smithers & Wagoner. To make assurance doubly sure, Dr. Finney was also shown the original permit from the Board of Health, upon authority of which the removal had taken place. It was dated

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THE GRADING OF STATE INSPECTORS CAUSING GREAT DISSATISFACTION.

n Effort to Lower St. Louis Wheat Grades -Grain Mixed With Hard Wheat Rated

The name had been afterward changed, and The question of the grain inspection fur Florence Dunham's body surrendered by the authorities on a changed permit from the Board of Health. nished by Chief Inspector O'Shea and his deputies is daily becoming more important and the complaints are steadily increasing. The dissatisfaction is of comparatively recent growth, as the peculiarities of the views parties guilty of having altered the permit originally issued for the removal of the body of Edmond F. Heath, and of having virtually robbed the grave of Florence Dunham. It is Shea and his fellow experts as to the grade f wheat have only recently been manifested. The trouble is not so much that the exporters lition to the already sad story, as the effort the deputy inspectors are ignorant to secure the first permit had, it is said, been made by the father of little Florence Dunham, now a resident of Kansas City.

The changing of the Board of Health perof their bus siness as that they are of the opin on that an organized attempt is being made to depress St. Louis grades for the benefit of

the Kansas City shippers. KANSAS HARD WHEAT. As has been stated in the columns of the POST-DISPATCH, the trouble commenced soon after O'Shea assumed the office he now holds. when a large amount of wheat inspected or the East side, where the inspectors are men of large experience, and are appointed by the or large experience, and are appointed by the Merchants' Exchange, as hard wheat was rated as No. 2 red by the O'Shea experts. Since that time there have been scarcely any shipments of Kansas City wheat to East St. Louis, all being sent to this city, and a most remarkable change seems to have come over the crops raised in the territory tributary to Kansas City as very little of the wheat tary to Kansas City, as very little of the wheat is hard, and; the great majority of the shipments are of No. 2 red, at least in the opinion of the State inspectors. Of course, the Kansas City shippers are delighted with this change, as it enables them to obtain a very much higher price for their grain, but the St. Louis millers and exporters do not view the change with the same favor as the Kansas City men, and, in fact, are inclined to doubt that the crops in the districts from which Kansas City draws its supplies have changed in character tary to Kansas City, as very little of the wheat

draws its supplies have changed in characte to the extent that the inspection furnished by the O'Shea experts would indicate. COMPLAINTS OF MIXED WHEAT. A great deal of the grain that is received in Kansas City is drawn from the hard wheat belt of Kansas, and repeated efforts have been made to have it graded in city as No. 2 red, when r with wheat legitimately en with wheat legitimately entitled to that rating. The attempts of the Kansas City men have always failed, as the St. Louis Merchants' Exchange has guarded its wheat grades with jealous care, and the conse mence is that St. Louis wheat has a highe eputation than any other, not only in this country, but also throughout Europe. The ction of O'Shea and his deputies threatens o overthrow this reputation, gained at great

whose names I have forgotten, called on m again, and giving me the permit authorizing the removal of the body of Florence Dunham to Kansas City, requested me to see that it was done, which I did, and that ended the natter as far as I was, concerned. I made no nquiries as to how the permit had been ob ost, and to greatly injure the St. Louis mar ket, the sole beneficiaries being the Kansas City shippers and the St. Louis farmers. It is Deyond what I have already told you."

Capt. Eystra, whose efforts to be permitted oremove the body of his wife brought about charged that the O'Shea experts are rating red wheat mixed with Kansas hard wheat as he discovery of this strange story of two graves in Bellefontaine, leaves for his home No. 2 red, deliverable as such on contract To anyone at all familiar with the business Muscatine, Io., to-night. He has aban the result of such a course is apparent. Not ed all hope of succeeding in his own sad only will St. Louis wheat lose its reputatio abroad, but a cloud will be thrown over the genuineness of all St. Louis flour, greatly to its detriment in the market.

The milers are greatly exercised over the matter, and some have determined to adopt heroic remedies. Yesterday this intention heroic remedies. Yesterday this intention was put into execution. One of the largest milling establishments in the city refused to receive a large amount of grain graded as No. 2 red wheat from the United Elevator companies

graded as No. 2 red wheat from the United Elevator companies on the ground that it was not No. 2 red at all, but was largely mixed with hard wheat. The elevators stated that it had been regularly inspected as No. 2 red, but the millers declared that this was no proof of the fact, as a quantity of wheat had been so inspected which all knew contained hard wheat. The matter is still under discussion, with the chances that grain that will properly grade No. 2 will be substituted for the mixture. Many receivers have written to influential men among the farmers, stating that if the present regime is allowed to continue that the price of St. Louis wheat will be greatly diminished and

is allowed to continue that the price of St. Louis wheat will be greatly diminished and that the Missouri farmers will suffer in order that the Kansas wheat growers and their consignees may make a large profit. An effort will be made to obtain legislative action on

MISSOURI FARMERS SUFFERING. A call was made upon Geo. H. Plant, First Vice-President of the Merchants' Exchange, to ascertain what he knew about the mixing of hard wheat with No. 2 red. "That this has been done, and that the State inspectors have graded the mixed wheat as No. 2, I know positively," said Mr. Plant, "for I was obliged to take some of it. I protested when I did so, and would have refused to accept it had it not been that I was at the time in a position to utilize the inferior grade. J. B. M. Kehlor refused to accept from the elevators as No. 2 the wheat so passed by the State exports, and he was quite right, for it is such wheat as-never before was graded as to ascertain what he knew about the mixing state exports, and he was quite right, for it is such wheat as never before was graded as No. 2 in this market. I shall not accept any more. One thing the Missouri farmers should understand, and that is that the course of the State Inspectors is depressing the price of Missouri wheat, and driving it out of the market. Kansas wheat is coming in fast, for it is of a quality that is benefited by low grading, but our Missouri product is kept ont, as the rating is too low to

allow it to be sold at a profit. The State in-spection is benefiting the Kapsas farmers at the expense of those of Missouri. In other words, C'shea is building up the commerce of a foreign State."

The late lamented Artemus Ward used to deliver a lecture called "Sixty Minutes in Africa." He talked for an hour or more

The Hotels in Central Africa

He talked for an hour or more without making any allusion whatever to Africa and wound up with the following peroration: "Now, my beloved hearers, I am bout through. Thus far I haven't said anyhing about Africa, but to all who conten plate visiting that country I would remark hat the hotels there are kept on the Ethiop

Readers of Mr. Stanley's new book, "In Darkest Africa," will see that he did not ex-pect to find any hotels at all in Africa. "In that lone land of deep despair' it is the hardest work in the world to find anything decent to eat, and therefore Stanley's famous expedition had to carry most of its provisions with it from England. The edible to which most frequently refers in his book in words of high praise is the well-known Liebig Com pany's Extract of Beef. Mr. Stanley says:
'On Nov. 22, 1888, a cold and heavy shower of rain fell, which demoralized many in the column. Madis and Zanzibaris dropped their column. Madis and Zanzibaris dropped their loads and rushed for the camp. One Madi managed to crawl near my tent. He was at once borne to a fire and laid within a few inches of it, and with the addition of a pint of hot broth made from the Liebig Company's Extract of Meat we restored him to his senses.' This article is the pure essence of This article is the pure essence of meat broth, or concentrated beef tea, free from fat or gelatine. It is unequaled for from fat or gelatine. It is unequaled for soups, sauces, made dishes, game, fish, etc. One pound of the extract is equal to forty pounds of lean beef. It keeps in all climates, and when hotels are built in Central Africa this-scientific, palpable and anti-dyspeptic preparation will form part of the regular bill of fore.

A SERIOUS STABBING.

Henry Krone in a Precarious Condition A Saturday Night Affray.

On Saturday, near midnight, Officer Maher of the Fourth Police District accidently dis covered Henry Krone at the office of Dr. Graves, Eleventh and Chambers streets where he was waiting to have attended an ugly stab in his left breast, in the region of the heart. He said to Police Officer Maher that he had been stabbed by an unknown man on Broadway an LaBeaume street. Investigation later in the night showed a different continuous control of the polytic showed a different control later in the night showed and later in the night showed a different control later in the night showed and later in the night showed a different control later in the night showed a different control later in the night showed a different control later in the night showed and later in the night showed a different control later in the night showed and tion later in the night showed a different con dition of affairs, and yesterday morning Hen ry Bucker, a young man residing at Nine teenth and North Market streets, was brought teenth and North Market streets, was brought to the station at Tenth and North Market streets, charged with having done the cutting. His version of the affair was entirely different to that of Krone, and his story seems to be the more correct of the two, inasmuch as Krone declines to prosecute his alleged as saulter. Bucker says that he and Krone had a few words over a trifling question, and that few words over a trifling question, and that he result was that Bucker attacked him first and that self-defence made it necessary for itm to use his knife. Bucker was transfer to the Four Courts yesterday afternoon, and will be held by the police to await the result of Krone's injury. The latter is confined to his home, No. 3018 North Broadway, and is in a more, so: Solfs North Broadway, and is in a more serious condition than was supposed at the time of the cutting on Saturday night. He is suffering very much, as the wound is quite deep, and a fever is in progress. But by careful atten-tion his physician hopes to pull him through. He does not say why he refuses to prosecute Bucker.

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formerly boarded at the place Mrs. Davis went for the clothing. When she returned it was to find that her visitor had disappeared, taking a brown dress and two jars of preserves from a closet. A description of the thief has been given to the police.

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The Dangerous Tendency of the Practic Explained-References Made to the Alleged Cures, and How They Were Ac-

complished-Ministers' Conferences. This morning at the Presbyterian minis ers' conference, Rev. Dr. Samuel C. Pal ner, pastor of the Lafayette Park Church read an interesting paper on "Divine Healing; or Modern Faith Cure." The doctor held that the doctrine was a dangerous thing to encourage, for the reason that it possessed half truth. He held that it was dangerous from a moral and even physical standpoint as sometimes practiced, ac ing for the alleged miraculous cures by the fact that the patient cured was thoroughly given over and consecrated to God. Such may have taken place, and he cures believed that such a thing ought be possible as it evidently had divine sanction. All means should be used to cure the sick and ffering, but those who expecting from prayer should go to

God humbly in prayer, and not, as is the case in many instances demand it as a human right. "The true prayer of faith must have both confidence and submisfaith must have both confidence and submission," said the speaker. Dr. Palmer advocated prayer for the sick, but condemned, not exactly by words, but by a strong vein of sentiment, the excitement incident to certain well known faith cure meetings, not, however, specifying any particular services, but which undeniably pointed at Mrs. Woodworth. The paper was indorsed by nearly every minister present, many of whom used even stronger language than that by Dr. Palmer. It was the general opinion expressed fear-It was the general opinion expressed fear-lessly that the faith cure in dishonorable hands can accomplish more harm to genuine churches than any other nameable agency. This discussion was very warm at times, several of the gentlemen growing very much in earnest and speaking in unmistakable terms of the "alleged" faith cure as generally advocated. They were of the decided opinion that faith curists, so called, were as a general thing no more or less than people who take up the business because of failure or incompetency in other lines, hoping by a slick tongue to live upon the credulity of other people. As Mrs. Woodworth is gener-

other people. As Mrs. Woodworth is generally not slow to answer her critics from the platform, she may be expected to have something to say in the near future.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. Dr. P. W. Jacoby this morning read a paper before the Methodist Episcopal ministers' conference on "The Circulation of Church Papers," in which he paid some high compliments to the church organs. The statement was made that among the Germans a church paper was taken among the Germans a church paper was taken to every two members, but among the En e circulation of church periodicals bers. It was decided to urge upon bers the taking of a church paper. BAPTIST.

Before the Baptist conference this morning Rev. J. F. Caldwell read an interesting paper on "Paul's Thorn in the Flesh." The argu-ment advanced was that the thorn referred to was temptation. A general discussion fol

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Due notice of funeral will be given.

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WEBER—Feb. 14, 6:25 p. m., August William Weber, father of Henry Weber, aged 67 years. Funeral from late residence, 2625 Papin street Fueeday, Feb. 17, at 2. p. m., to New Picketts Ceme

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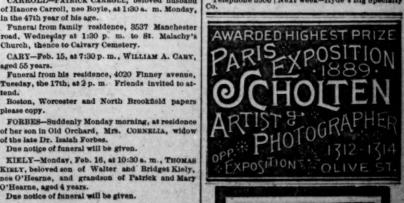
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or the twenty-four hours ending Monday, Feb. 16, 1891, and corresponding day in 1890, as repoy the Merchants' Exchange:

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	1891.	1890.	1891.	1890.	
Flour, bbls.	6,652	8.439	7,870	5,557	
Wheat, bu.	35,533	39,972	8,690	5,610	
Corn, bu	112,680	39,972 600,700	82,532	190,335	
Oats, bu	54,275	36,990	8,170	12,630	
Rye, bu		7,150		4,125	
Barley, bu	5,850	9,100	1 2	700	
Bran, ship-	1000	4000	12.42.140		
stuff, sks.	670	1,030	2,349	1,075	
Do. in bulk,	100		C. Kith		
cars	4	9	1		
Cornmeal,					
bbls	625	125	1,256	1,928	
Cotton, bls,			2000		
local	1,183	1,033	1		
Cotton, bls,			3,440	2,141	
through	1,973	1,603	1	1	
Hay, tons	605	382	448	37	
Pork, bbls		180	57	84	
Hams, bs	59,380	50,650	52,585	62,898	
Meats, Ibs	1 548,835	940,800	1 181,910	959,123	
Lard, hs	346,290	2,230	378,904	143,845	
Cattle, head	1,100	1,231	728	172	
Hogs, head.	2.815	4,191	5,734	219	
Sheep, head	249	476	214	****	
Horses and			000		
mules, hd	315	432	379	344	

Iovement of Wheat and Corn To-Day.

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4 / 2 / 3	Wheat.	Corn.	Wheat.	Corn.	
St. Louis	35,533	112,680	8,690	82,532	
Milwaukee .	15,950	87,000	******	******	
Baltimore	5,380	23,147	.414.02	******	
Toledo	600	17,581	43,950	4,640	
New York	87,600	46,900	31,236	26,434	
Chicago	20,250	145,985	35,346	125,184	
Detroit	20,651	2,622	20,208	5,741	
Duluth	22,123	******	2,326	*****	
Minneapolis Philadel'hia	201,190 2,884	24,158	3,411	31,899	
Stock of	Grain in	St. Lo	uis Eleve	ators.	
1 Wheat	Corn	1 Onta	1 Pvo 1	Rarloy	

No. 2. No. 2.

11 846,682 367,399 69,820 181 858,390 406,160 71,804 181 1,647,388 1,228,928 100,864 16,379 No. 2 white corn, 73,479 bu.

Grain Inspections.

Theat. Cars. Corn.	6
Total	11

1.—, pections Out: Whent—No. 2 red, 10 cars; red.—; No. 4. 1; rejected, 5; no grade,—; hard, 1]; No. 3 do,—; No. 2 hard spring,—; do,—; No. 2 Colorado, 2; rejected spring,—, m—No. 2, 24,000 bu and 38 cars; No. 3, — cars; —; No. 2 white,—; No. 3 white,—; No. 2 yel—; No. 2 St. Charter, No. 3 white,—; No. 2 yel—; No. 2 St. Charter, No. 3 white,—; No. 2 yel—; No. 2 St. Charter, No. 2 Charter, No. 2 St. Charter, N No. 3 do., Corn-No. 2, 24,000 bu and Corn-No. 2, 24,000 bu and No. 4, -| No. 2 white, -| No. 3 white, -| No. 10w, -| No. 2 st. Charles, -| Oats-No. 2, 18 cars; No. 3, -| No. 4, -| No. 2 white, 3; No. 3 do. 4; No. 4, -| Rye-No. 2, -car; No. 3, -| no grade, -| Barley-No. 2 spring, -| cars; No. 3, 1; rejected, -|

markets:				
	-Wh	eat.	Co	rn
ALL STATES OF THE STATES OF TH	Feb. 14.	Feb. 7.	Feb. 14.	Feb.
St. Louis	1.377	1,380	455	5
St. Louis harbor	******	******	17	
Peoria	30	21	295	2
Chicago	6,577	6,512	234	2
Chicago, afloat	126	166	******	
Milwaukee	549	597		***
Minneapolis	6,115	6,128	******	277
Duluth	3,773	8,681	******	
Detroit	127	152	12	
Toledo	735	801	153	1
Indianapolis	138	155	124	1
Cincinnati	-7	8	11	
Buffalo	828	930	161	1
Buffalo, afloat	126	133	******	
Oswego	55	55 .	80	1.7
Toronto	108	121	*****	***
Montreal	392	847	30	
Albany	******	*****	30	1
Boston	139	113	. 72	and t
New York	1,118	1,252	282	3
New York, afloat	24	40	- 9	
Philadelphia	130	126	129	
Baltimore	410	400	123	1
MississippiRiver	*****	******	58	1
On lakes	******	******	25	***
On canal	8	8		200
Feb.	14,'91.	Feb. 7,	91. Feb. 680 30,	15, '9
Wheat 22,	910,591	23,125,	680 30,	073,2
Corn 2	.35.758	2,583.	656 12	583,6
Oats 2	837 OOS	3 192	859 K	212 1

Future Sales To-Day.

Wheat—May—10 at 971%, 30 at 971% 488 973% 80 at 973% 488; 126 at 973% 12, 130 at 983% 130

Onts—Trading very light in May, which sold be lower at 45% to 454%.
SPOT GRADES—An order buyer bid 45½ for regular No. 2 and bought 5 care, but more offered him at that and 45½ bid. No. 3 not offered and 44½ bid regular, 45¢ for U.

SAMPLES—Strong, with moderately good demand. One shipper was in the market and took all the No. 2. Very little white offering, on which the market was a shade better. Seed cats continue in good demand. Sales: Special bin—1 car No. 2. at 45¢, 14 No. 2 at 45¢, 1 Northern mixed at 46½c, 3 No. 2 white at 47c, 3 do at 47½c, 1 Northern seed at 47% Skd lots on orders, 51653c.

Rye—No offerings and the only bid was 75¢ for regular No. 2.

Barley—Sellers were asking steady rates, but a decline at Milwaukee caused-brewers to further reduce their bids, and excepting sales of 2 cars lows at 59c, nothing was done, although there were some deliveries on contract.

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We quote: Medium at 60æ5cc, prime at 65æ70c, choice at 70æ75c, fancy at 75æ50c.

Milwauker, Feb. 16.—Barley lower, but steady; cash, 664c; March, 668c; April, 68c.

Flour—The market shows little change either in the first of the grades, but of the first same not large of the grades, but of the grades of the 500 at \$3.95. Quotations range: XXX, \$2.90@3; family, \$3.10@ 3.25; choice, \$3.40@3.60; fancy, \$3.95@4.10; extra fancy, \$4.35@4.45; patents, \$4.65@4.80. Prices for lots on Leves and on this side. Corn Meal—Steady at \$2.75@2.80, and pearl meal, grits and hominy at \$3.25@3.35. Rye Flour—Strong at \$3.95@4.05.

Hay and Millfeed.

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Hay—Receipts, 605 tons. There was little change to note in the market, unless it might be in prairie, values of which, however, were unchanged, but the demand was not quite so urgent as it has been for the past week. This, no doubt, on account of the increase in the receipts, which, until lately, have been small. Timothy was in good demand, the small. Timothy was in good demand, the soling the best, but all grades selling fairly well. Stocks are not large. Sales: This side—Timothy—1 car mixed at \$9.50, 1 do at \$10, 1 prime at \$11, 4 choice at \$12, 5 strictly do at \$12,50, 2 fancy at \$13, 1 car clover at \$9. Fairie—1 car mixed at \$8.50, 1 choice lowa at \$9.50, 1 fancy do at \$10. East track—1 car choice lowa prairie at \$9. Lower and weak; buyers holding off and

The market was heavy and lower, unfavorably affected by the depression prevailing everywhere. The order trade was still small and local traders not disposed to do much. There was a good inquiry for lard and 200 tes sold this side at 5.35. Pork slow, 100 bbis mess selling at \$9.40. Baccon quiet. Buyers and sellers wide apart on dry salt to arrive; 50-lb cured was offered at 4.60c. c. and f. Weather too warm for green meats.

ON THE CALL—Trading was smaller, as sellers were not prepared to meet the lower prices demanded by buyers. regular.

"Mess pork.—Cash offered at \$9.65, Feb. at \$9.62½c and May at \$9.80, no bids.
Lard.—Cash offered at 5.5c and for Feb. 5.20c bid.
Lard.—Cash offered at 5.5c and March, 4½c and sellers at 4.57½c Feb., 4½c March; May offered at 4.50c, and 4.77½c bid.
Bacon ribs—Sales: May, 25.000 bis at 5.22½c, 25.000 at 5½c. Feb. offered at 5½c and March at 5.20c; no bid: April at 5.17½c, bid 5½c, 21yat 5½c, bid 5½c.
Pork.—Standard mess in small lots at \$9.70@
9.87½; no orders, \$10210, 25. 9. STR.—Standard mess in small lots at \$9.70% STR; on orders, \$10.2010.25. Lard—Prime steam nominal at 5.35c; kettle at 6c; eaf jobbing at 6ke for fancy and 6c for seconds. Dry Sait Meats—Loose shipping age conds. pobling at 642c for fancy and 6c for seconds. r r Sait Meats—Lose shipping age f. o. b. on orders—Shoulders at 38c; longs, 4.524264.55c; 4.5564.574gc; shorts at 4.674c; boxed shoult 38qc; longs at 4.60c; c'ribsat 4.65c; shorts of orders—Boxed longs, 48qc; rlbs, 44gc; ders at osge; rouge at 4.75c. On orders-Boxed longs, 4%c; ribs, 4%c; shorts, 5½c.

Bacon-Facked shoulders sold at 4½@4%c. longs at 5.20c, chibs at 5.20c, shorts at 5.30m5.35c. On orders-Longs, 5½c; chibs, 3½c; shorts, 5½c.

Grease-Brown, 2½@3½c; yellow, 3@3½c; white, 3%@4c for country In fregular pkgs at 4½c.

Breakfast Bacon-Sold at 7m8½c per lb. Beef, family sols, \$5 per bl and \$5.50 per half-bli; on orders at 5.50 per half-bli; or orders a

Lead and Spelter. Lead-Dull, with sellers at \$4.05. Spelter-Dull at 4%c.

Commercial Board. Wheat—May sold at 97% and that asked; puts, 1% and calls 98% and calls 98% by 57% ask, sellers; puts 57% and calls 89% corn—May sold at 50% to 50%; puts 50% and alls 50% and alls 50%.

ON THE STREET.

[The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first nds unless otherwise stated. Orders are filled with choice goods, and are charged higher.]

Apples—Receipts, 649 bils. These are the largest arrivals for some time past. Market continues steady with offered. Far demand for all choice fruit offered. Far demand such as Ben Davis. Romanite, hippin, winese gratique quotable at \$5.65.25 per bbl. down to \$4.64.25 for medium geniting. Small, inferior or damaged less. Repacked fruit sells on orders at \$5.50@6.50 per bbl. Sales: I car (geniting, winesap and Romanite) at \$5. car at \$4.75.for geniting to \$5.25 for fancy Missouri pippin. car at \$4.75-for geniting to \$5.25 for fancy Missouri pippin.

Dried Fruit—Receipts, \$29 pks. These fair arrivals were not all domestic fruit, a moderate proportion consisting of California prunes, apricots, etc. Market showed an improvement in a was god, though while the general manual. Quote: Sun-dried apples—Quarters, \$96.004c; peelings, cores or chopped at \$26.00 kg. peelings of the peelings at \$26.00 kg. The peelings of the peelings at \$25.00 kg. The peelings of the peeling of the peelings of the peeling California Fruit-We quote: Pears at \$2.5033 per case.

Malaga Grapes-Selling at \$9210 per bbl for choice, to \$10 to \$12 for fancy tinted stock,
Pine Apples-Havana quotable at \$223 per doz.
Persian Dates-Quotable at \$223 per lb.
Oranges-Supplies liberal, but demand fair.
We quote repacked: Florida-Fancy brights in popular sizes, \$3.2533.75, and fair russets at \$2.5023 per box; there is not a little of irregular and somewhat inferior fruit being offered at less figures, but hardly suitable for shipping orders; Tangerine 14 sector and 12 sector 15 secto

on orders.

Rhubarb—Home-grown sells on orders at 75c accept bunches for choice.

Asparagus—Home-grown on orders at 75c accept bunches for small, to \$1 for choice large.

Radishes—On orders, home-grown are quotable at 5c per dozen.

Young Onions—Quotable at 15c per doz bunches for home-grown. per doz.
Soup Bunches—On orders sell at 40c per doz.
Sauer Kraut—Steady at \$2 per half bbl and \$3.90
per bbl. On orders, 25250c higher.

Grass and Flax Seed, Castor Beans, Etc. Grass and Flax Seed, Castor Beans, Etc.

Grass Seeds—The offerings continue to meet a
good demand at steady rates. To-day's sales were:

Range of the seeds—The seeds of the s

Butter and Eggs. Butter-Receips, 34,530 bs. There was no change in the market. A fair demand for all table grades, and the medium and low grades continue dull. Handlers of low grades claim they are unable to draw orders, even at concessions. Quote:

Fancy separator and set milk. 24 @26 Choice separator and set milk. 23 @24 Choice to fancy gathered cream 22 @23 Faulty, streaked and off flavor 18 @20 DAIRY.

Fancy, selected. 24 @22

Eggs-Receipts, 2,367 pkgs. A further heavy de-line in the East caused the local market to sell leaned up.

Eggs—Receipts, 4,974 pkgs. Market still on the lown grade. Eastern markets were again off, and buyers lowered their bids, which sellers were forced to meet. Fresh sold down to 12c, closing steady.

Dressed Poultry—As is usual on a Monday, the offerings were small. Prices, however, were about national on all kinds, although turkeys are quiet, and demand seems to slowly subsiding. Small fat then turkeys are in best request, while old and heavy tobblers sell slowly. Demand steady for choice, mail fat chickens, and fair for medium. Ducks teady and firm. Geose quiet, but when choice fat re in fair request. The range: Per lb. Chickens-| Turkeys - | Chickens - | Small fat hens | 124cc Small young | 84s90c Gobblers | 1 lc Rough and heavy Goese - | 1 lc Rough and heavy Goese - | 1 lc Rough and heavy Goese - | 1 lc Rough and him | 10cc Choice fat | 10c Choice fat | 1 lc Rough and thin | 10cc Rough and thin | 10cc Rough and thin | 10cc Rough | 10cc Rough and thin | 10cc Rough | 10cc Rough

Per doz.

Dressed Hogs and Pigs—Quote at 50@75c for small and 75@51.25 for large per head.

Dressed Hogs and Pigs—Quotable at 31@@4c for hogs and 5651% per 1b for small roasting pigs.

Veni Carcasses—Slow sale; quotable at 5@6c per lb. Sheep-Lambs range at 41/205c per lb, while old ucks and ewes are slow at less.

Wool.

Receipts, 3,227 lbs. Ready sale at firm prices. Manufacturers are buying steadily, but are getting no better prices for goods.

FINE. UNWASHED-STATES AND TERRITORIES. Light. | Heavy.

Furs.

Quosanne de less. Bry flint—No. 1, 1042; uncured le less. Bry flint—No. 1, 1042; uncured le less. Bry flint—No. 1, 1042; No. 2 and skins weighing less than 10 lbs, at Sc; bulls and stage, 642; dry salted at 712c for No. 1 and 6c for No. 2; glue at 2c for green, 4c for dry. Dry flint selling round 8c for average run to 9c for heavy butcher, and dry salt at 64267c; green salted at 4526c, latter for Missouri, etc.

Decrakins—Quiet. Prime flint, native, 28c; Texas and mountain, 2425c; salted, damaged, mastly, etc., half price. Antelope, 15c.

mastly, etc., half price.

10c. and bark of trees, 6c; blue flag, 5c; bittersweet bark, 6c.

Moss—We quote: Machine pleked—XXXX, 7@, 74c; XXX, 644664c; XX, 544654c; XX, 544654c; XX, 76, 74c; XXX, 644664c; XX, 544654c; Ax, 644645c; Brough—Black, 44466c; brown, 46445c; gray and brown-mixed, 344634c; gray, 3c.

Scrap Iron, Etc.—Wrought, 70c; heavy cast, 40c; plow, 50c; stoveplate, 35c; malleable and burnt, 25c. Brass—Heavy, 9c; light, 6c; copper, 9c; lead, 34cc; zinc, 244624c; pewter, 10c.

Kags, Etc.—Country mixed rags, 75ca\$1; paper, 25c; old rubber, \$2.50; old rope, \$1.2562.25.

Bones—Quote: Buffalo—No. I bleached, \$19620; No. 2 bleached, \$19618; green burk, \$3 try lunk, \$12; green butcher, \$2610.

Honey—We quote: Comb at 12614c; fancy white clover, 15617c; inferior less; strained and extracted at 7665c in cans and 59466c in bolo.

Sorghum—Quotable at 27650c per gallon, as to quality.

iour, 95-8; 74,885; 200-b, 14223c. Wool, 23223c per sack.

Empty Barrels—Black, 45c; lard oil, 69c; linseed oil, 60c; whisky, fron hoop, 562675c; wood do at 40c; coal oil, 95c; lard tierces, 25c; molasses, 36c.

Salt—Firm. We quote domestic at 95c East side and \$1 this side per billion.

Hemp—Nomina. Missouri undressed, \$9020100.

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Commercial Notes. Wheat "bulled" on expectation and "beared" on wheat "bulled" on expectation and "beared" on reality.
San Francisco reported three inches of rain and a slight fall at San Diego.
The Farmers' Alliance of Kansas appear to have loosened up on their holdings of wheat.
Sansas City receipts were 173 cars when Oregon.
Weather cloudy and rainy; 61 deg, at 12 o'clock.
Local forecast—Light rain or snow; colder.
The boys were to-day calling Joe Carr' "McGinty," because he was "dressed in his best shute of clothes." The boys were to-day calling Joe Carr Mccinty, because he was "dressed in his best shute of clothes."

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The latest mail advices from Southern Russia report autumn-sown wheat in universally good condition, in spite of previous centrary reports. The fields have generally been protected by snow.

Much the same conditions prevail in Hungary, and the winter wheat crop there is very promising.

Aute accounts from Bombay state that owing to the good outlook of the new wheat crop, holders of wheat are more ready sellers.

The San Francisco News-Letter states that Feb. was ushered in at early dawn by copious showers of rain that were welcomed by tillers of the soil throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all control of the soil throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all corps throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all corps throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all corps throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all corps throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all corps throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all corps throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all corps throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all corps throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all corps throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all throughout the State, bringing joy and gladness to all through the second through the s One Liverpool cable reported the market firmer, reported a good continental demand, and the French

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\$5.45; ex fcy, \$5.10; fcy, \$4.25; choice family, \$3.70. Rye, \$4.15. K. D. meal, \$2.70. Hominy, \$3.10; grits, \$3.10. Buckwheat, pure, \$5.25; patent, \$4.50. 34%c.

d Fruit, Foreign—Currants, casks, 54c;
74%c; citron, 17c; dates, Fard, 12-b bxs. 104%c;
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semon peel, 124%c; prunes, Turkish, bbls.
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As reported by the Hanley & Kinsella Coffe

Sales to-day, 76,800 bales. Stock at Liverpool. 1,0
Stock at London. 1,0
Stock at London. 1,0
Total Great Britain. 1,0
Total Continental. 1,5
Total European. 1,5
India adoat for Europe. 1,5
Egypt, Brazil, etc.
India, Egypt, etc., stocks in
Great Britain and on Continent.

Chicago Market Letters.

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By Private Wire to J. P. Grier.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—The wheat market has been quiet. The opening for May was 97%e and closes at 97%e%. The fuctuations have been from 97%e to 98%e. The prominent feature has been the heavy selling by our big scalper.

Foreign advices for England and the continent Foreign advices from England and the continent form of the selling the selling and crop damage from the continent. This with offers from Glasgow and Leth to New York houses of 9d per quarter for spring wheat over the prices of last Friday causes a strong feeling. The cold wave predicted for to-morrow may add to the strength and may lead to some outside buying. We need this to advance prices. The growing wheat crop is all that could be looked for and weather damage alone is in favor of any advance.

The market for the next thirty days will be influenced more by weather than supply and demand. July wheat is too high and will pay to sell nniess we have disaster. May is also too high, and but for the fear of manipulation we would say sell if.

English of the selling in the s

Spot were generall dull and weak; the local market tull and depressed, with sales of 1,585 bales. Futures were again lower-New Orleans steady to 5 bints, Liverpool steady to 1 point, and New York at 2:18 p. m. steady to 3 points.

The Exchange Hall of the Cotton Exchange has just finished an overhauling. The freece, as well as

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Week later last year. *Week later last year.

*New Orlieans—Receipts, 6,513 bales. Spot easy at 815-16c. Futures at 12:20 p.m.steady. Feb., 8,50c; March, 8,49c; April, 8,56c; May, 8,67c; Jure, 8,74c; July, 8,53c.

*AMERICAN COTTON IN SIGHT.

*Received at ports to Feb. 13. 5,558,242 5,202,643

Interior stocks in excess of Sept. 1 on Feb. 13. 377,731 247,513

Total receipts from plantations to Feb. 13. 5,355,073 5,550,156

Not overland to Feb. 13. 5,335,073 5,770,119

Southern consumption to Feb. 13. 300 300,000 EDW. BECKMANN COMMISSION CO. Grain, Eggs, Poultry, Dried Fruit,

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A CAB DRIVER'S SUICIDE.

Christian Linderman Commits Suicide East Carondelet.

Christian Linderman, a cab driver, com mitted suicide early yesterday morning a the home of his brother, Fred Linderman, in East Carondelet, Ill., by shooting himself in the head. He left his home at 2639 Rutger street Saturday morning with the evident intention of going to work for the day. Where he remained during the day is a mystery to his family, but in the evening he reached his family, but in the evening he reached his brother's house and said he was going to remain over night. He had done this before and nothing strange was thought of his action. Yesterday morning he was found dead in bed with a builte in his brain. A note was found in his yest pocket dated on the 10th inst, and addressed to his wife and three children. The letter had then good by a nd showed that letter bade them good-bye and showed that it was his intention to end his life. His action surprised his brother's relatives, as he appeared to be quite cheerful when he reached the house. The deceased was about

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ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE.

Annual Meeting and Election of the Irish

Catholic Societies. The Irish Catholic Parade Union is making extensive preparations for the annual observ-ance of St. Patrick's Day. The union met yesterday at St. John's Hall and elected officers for the ensuing year. The following are the officers elect: William H. O'Brien, President; Robert Kelleher, Vice-President; John J. O'Connor, Secretary; Terrence Martin, Treasurer; Daniel O'Connell Tracy, Grand Marshal, and William Cullinane, Assistant Control Versidel. sistant Grand Marshal. At the suggestion of the retiring President, Mr. Linahan, a cable-gram was sent to Dillon and O'Brien, the imprisoned Irish patriots, expressing the sym-pathy of the union. A telegram of condolence was also sent to the family of Gen. Sherman. On the 22d inst. Grand Marshal Tracy will meet the marshals of the various societies that intend to participate in the parade at Father Mathew Hall, 1306 Olive street.

All are entitled to the best that their mone will buy, so every family should have, at once, a bottle of the best family remedy, of Figs, to cleanse the system when or bilious. For sale in 50c and \$1 bot-

"An Evening With Tennyson."

St. Mark's Academy will next Thursday evening, Feb. 19, give a literary entertain evening, Feb. 19, give a literary entertainment entitled "An'Evening with Tennyson." Rev. J. F. Hoefner, S. J., will give an address on "Intellectual Life;" "Tennyson's "Owl Song" will be given by Walter Gillian, Cornelius Bauer, James A. Rohan and J. J. Rohan; Conde B. Patlen, lecture, "The Meaning of the Idylls of the King;" plano duet, "Ruy Blas," Messys. Joseph Otten and Thomas Moore; reading from "Guineveve," John P. Warren; Tennyson's solo, "Break, Break! Mr. Barney Dierkes; recitation. Warren; Tennyson's Solo, "Break, Break, Break, Break, Mr. Barney Dierkes; recitation, "Defense of Lucknow," Mr. S. Silverberg; Tennyson's Solo, "Home They Brought Het Warrior Dead," Mr. J. J. Rohan; Tennyson's "Sweet and Low," by the quartette.

The Budweiser Restaurant,

Sixth, near Locust, is now under the management of Mr. Pierre Lambert, who serves the best the market affords and does it promptly.

Sunday School Entertainment.

This evening the teachers and scholars of Trinity M. E. Sunday School will have a sionary [jubilee in the Sunday school rooms at Tenth and North Market streets. Their missionary offering will be the largest they have ever made, and the occasion will be celebrated accordingly. Rev. Drs. Masden of Union M. E. Church and Lenig of Goode Avenue M. E. Church will address the audience in addition to a fine musical programme, the principal features of which will be the music furnished by the Sunday School Orchestra and solos by the members of the school.

Ho! All Ye That Hunger.

Morris' Restaurant and Dairy Lunch Rooms, 1003 Olive street. Popular prices. Open Sun-days.

Mrs. Carter's Suit for Divorce.

Mrs. Cora Carter, the wife of Albert F Carter, the negro barber, makes several cor rections in the story told of her marital mis eries. She says she was married to Carter in Brooklyn nine years ago and came to this city a few years ago, after which he failed to support her, and she was compelled to take in sewing to support herself. She also states that her husband did not take her wearing apparel or jewelry belonging to her, but that she had him arrested for wife abandonment. She has secured an engagement with the Creole company which played here last week, and will join the company soon in Chicago.

the Health Department up to 3 p. m. to-day: Margaret Pahl, 64 years, 2923 Missouri avenue; wm. Bartling, 73 years, 4469 Beck avenue; pneu-Peter Bauer, 62 years, 2016 Menard street; typho-

Mary Jane Johnson, 43 years, 2007 Pine street; pneumonia. Mary E. Turcott, 3 years, 1931 Sarah street; rheu-Joseph Englerth, 10 months, 1307 Russell avenue

Louis Zdarsky, 34 years, 1715 South Tenth street; Bernhard Schalueker, 64 years, 3205 Ohio avenue; enile debility. da Freeman, 58 years, 911 North Twelfth reet; senile debility. Christian Stoko, 64 years, Good Samaritan Hospist Weber, 67 years, 2625 Papin street; con-

sumption.

John C. Martin, 70 years, northwest corner of
Grand avenue and Magnolia street; bronchitis.

Persis Smith, 85 years, 1615 Olive street; senile debility.
Lucy Maechling, 4 years, 1615 Olive street; senite
Lucy Maechling, 4 years, 603 Theresa avenue; congestion of brain.
Catherine Barton, 20 Barton, 30 years, 2018 Biddle street; Durney, 21 years, 2223 Franklin avenue es Tilewein, 29 years, 913 Lafayette avenue; William P. Brice, 21 years, 811 Benton street; tlekamp, 64 years, 1955 President street mpf, 21 years, 2006 South Eleventh

Wm. P. Gibbs, 76 years, 2625 Taylor avenue; nes, 4 months, 118 South Rankin aveme; bronchitis. May Ewing, 31 years, 1211 Linden street; con-Martha Red, 44 years, 2107 Biddle street; conth Kavanaugh, 31 years, 2217 Division reet; consumption. Chas. Ried, 43 years, 111 South Leonard avenue; ry Ewing, 30 years, 22141/2 Franklin avenue

h Albred, 11 months, 1217 North Fifteenth

THEY ARE TO BE TURNED LOOSE ON THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

So the Association Magnates Say, but Association War Dogs Don't Fight-Jim Hall Arrives From Australiarting News of All Kinds.

The American Association is threatening to

ake things lively for the National League out whether it will result in anything more than words remains to be seen. Not only that the League put the Association in the soup at Saturday's meeting of the Board of Control sides of the bowl until the bones of that poor body ached. The League, aided and abetted by the Board of Control, took from the Association three of its best players, and to compensate the Association for all this generously permitted it to retain one of its own players who was not so valuable. Now it is announced that Mr. Von der Ahe has sent out notices by telegraph that a secret meeting of the American Association is to be held here to take action on the decision of President Thurman and the Board of Control in the Bierbauer, Stovey and Mack cases, and also to take action in reference to admitting National League. Manager Barnie of Baltiore is reported to be very hot and full of fight, but then Manager Barnie has been that way many a time before, but his fighting courage never gets up to the fighting point. He claims that "White Wings" Thurman is controlled by the League and that an agreement has already been made whereby his resignation as President of the Association will be asked. Thurman, he says, asked tion will be asked. Thurman, he says, asked the Association people, after an agreement had been reached by the board, whether they would abide by the decision and word was sent back that they would not. Then the de-cision was announced. The Association peo-ple know that they have been treated like a lot of children and openly robbed. They feel that they have been insulted, but no doubt they will eventually pocket the insult as usual. They have "all been there before many a time." Al Johnson, Prince, the Wagners and some of the other old Players' League magnates would no doubt willingly ioin them in fighting the National League and that is exactly what they should do. It is bound to come unless the Association is willing to submit forever to the outrages and which have been heaped on it so frequently by the National League. Now that the latter body has the Western Association with it in the Board of Control it will make life more unendurable than ever for the Association. If the Association is the state of the Association is the Association in the Association in the Association is the Association in the Association in the Association is the Association in the Association in the Association is the Association in the Association in the Association is the Association in the Associa ciation really showed a determination to fight the National League would return to it the three men it robbed the Association of, and it cannot afford to engage in another base ball war after its experience of last

Let there be war. FRED DUNLAP.

season, which came very near wrecking it.

Frank Hough of the Philadelphia Press says: "So Fred Dunlap goes to Washington. It seems strange that this famous player never played in this, his mative city, although like enough it was a case of 'when he could he wouldn't and when he would he couldn't.' No matter what his detractors may say no marter what his detractors hay say, Dunny' has played and will probably continue to play good ball for years to come, but when his fame as a player has been forgotten he will be remembered as the artist who blazed the road to high salaries, and who never got the short nigh salaries, and who never got the short end of a deal, even when dickering with men skilled in financiering. When he made a contract he always had a lawyer draw it up in proper air-tight shape, and I never heard of one of them being set aside as vague and indefinite." As captain of the Washington club he will have a chance to show what he can do in new company, and as he is working for something beside salary this year he will probably make a success of it. Here's hoping

PITCHER HADDOCK. George S. Haddock, who has signed with the Boston Association Club for '91, is one of

the most promising for the rising young pitchers of the country, and was largely sought after by Cleveland and Pittsburg.

His salary with the local club will be \$3,000, eing \$500 less than Manager Hanlon offered him to go to Pittsburg.

Haddock is a brother-in-law of Jim Whit-

ney, Boston's old favorite pitcher, and is now a resident of Dorchester. He was born in Portsmouth, N. H., Dec. 25, 1867, and picked up his ball playing after go-

ing to Boston. He went West in '87, and played short engagements with several teams in the Western League until Ted Sullivan noticed him and signed him for Albany, where he played most of the season of '88, finishing with the Washengton League team.

He was with the Senators in '89, and went out with the Brotherhood in '90, going to Buffalo, where he pitched, and often played in the field, until receiving an injury to his foot which laid him up for the remainder of

Haddock is nearly 6 feet tall, weighs 160 pounds, and is considered one of the finest looking young men in the profession. He is easy to handle and loves to play ball.

THE RING.

Jim Hall, the Australian middle-weight, arrived at San Francisco yesterday. Hall stands 6 feet 1½ inches high and in condition welghs only from 150 to 156 pounds, having a slight advantage over Fitzimmons in height and just as great a reach. His shoulders are are not so big as the New Zealander's, but he is a better proportioned and apparently more powerful man. It is said that he is a very wicked fighter and hits a harder blow than Fitz. Hall has a good, honest face, is 23 years of age and has only been a professional fighter for a year and a half. Morris, the Australian turfman, offers to back him to whip Fitzsimmons, and stands 6 feet 11/2 inches high and in condition offers to back him to whip Fitzsimmons, and has made a deposit to bind a match. Hall came here for the purpose of making a match and prefers to meet Fitzsimmons, whom he claims to have whipped in three and a half rounds. Hall says that he only fought the

New Zealander that once, and that he never gave Fitz any money to quit. He denies that he was ever whipped by Fitz, as the latter has claimed, and says he would rather fight the New Zealander than any other man, because he knows he can ick him. If Hall fails to get on a match with Fitzsimmons at California he will go East and force the Kangaroo to meet him or show the white feather. Besides Fitzsimmons, Hall has whipped in five rounds Jack Slavin, brother of Frank Patrick Slavin, and has also defeated Herbert Goddard and a number of other middle and heavy-weights. There arrived on the same steamer with Hall Abe Willis, champion bantam-weight of Australia, who stopped Ike Weir in three rounds, and Billy Mohen. Maher, a light-weight built on the Hall and

ns plan, as he fights at 133 pounds and stands 5 feet 10 Inches high.
While Fitzsimmons is pleading his theatrical engagement as a bar to his negotiating
with Hall for a fight, Otto C. Floto, his manager, is working up an advertising boom for him by having Richard K. Fox telegraph to London to make a match between Fitz and one of the English middle-weights. It looks very much as if the New Zealander knows that Hall can defeat him and that he is afraid to fight the Australian. Here is a callegram Fixto here Australian. Here is a cablegram Floto has caused to be sent to London, and people will find it hard to understand how the Kangaroo can meet Burke, Pritchard or Wall and finds it impossible to make a match with Hall, who

offers him every inducement to fight New York, Feb. 12, 1891. George W. Atkinson, Sporting Life, London: Bob Fitzsimmons, the middle-weight champion of America and holder of the "Police Gazette" middle Highest of all in Leavening Power.- U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

ABSOLUTELY PURE

quested me to correspond with Lord Lonsdale to ascertain how large a purse the Pelican, National or Ormonde clubs will ofter for a contest between him and the winner of the Burke-Pritchard fight or Toff Wall. Will you find out and cable reply.

THE SMOKE NUISANCE COMMITTEE IS

PUGILISTIC POINTERS.

Tom Ryan of Chicago left last night for Minneapolis with his backer, his trainer, Old Bill Richards, formerly of St. Louis, and his seconds, Billy Myer and George Siddons. Ryan is to fight Danny Needham of St. Paul before the Twin City Club to-morrow night, and ex pects to enter the ring weighing 139 pounds. Tommy Kelly, the Harlem Spider, champion antam-weight of America, has issued a challenge to fight any 105-pound man in the world for from \$1,000 to \$2,500 a side.

"There is considerable rivalry between o'Connor, Gaudaur and myself," writes parsman John Teemer to his friend William Oarsman John Teemer to his friend william Nickersen of this city, "and in view of the fact that the Australians are coming to this country this spring to meet our best men I, for one, would like to see the best man in America selected to meet them," says the

"In my opinion there is but one way to find out who is the fastest sculler in the country, and that is to have the best men meet in an actual contest.
"I am anxious to meet in such a race, and my ready to past the post on "I have been a like to be the country to b

am ready to post \$500 with the Boston Globe, providing the others will post a like sum and together with a purse that some enterprising

snug sum.

'I am ready to go on with such a match at a moment's notice and will sign articles for the winners to take all or to divide it into two

"May 30 would suit me perfectly as to date, as the winner could then get a rest before meeting the big foreigners."
When shown the above letter last evening Chas. H. Thayer said:

Chas, H. Thayer said:

"If the three men will post their money
with the Globe and arrange the race to be
rowed at the Point of Pines on that date, I
will hang up a purse of \$1,000, which will
make the entire pot \$2,500, a sum well worth winning. Teemer is now doing light training at St

He is fully convinced that when in condi-tion he can give all of the American oars-men his backwash. Hanlan can also have a finger in the ple, providing he posts his \$500

THE TURF Col. Jack Chinn, the well-known Kentucky turfman who had sued the Wabash road for \$54,000 damages, the killing of two race horses and the crippling of three others in a wreck, which occurred while the runners were being transported from St Louis to Kansas City was in the city last week and succeeded in was in the city last week and succeeded in compromising the case. He was paid \$20,000. The settlement is considered very favorable him, as the crippled horses are all right again and the amount paid is a big price for the pair that were killed. "There were three stablehat were killed. "There were three stable-nen killed on that train," remarked a turf-"and yet under the law of Mis their families cannot possibly get more than \$5,000 aplece for their lives, but Col. Chinn received \$20,000 for two race horses, which are nothing more nor less than gambling

ATHLETICS.

At the spring handicap indoor games of the Boston Athletic Association, held at the First Regiment Armory, Boston, last night, Har-vard College athletes distinguished them-selves. A summarized result of the games s as follows: Harvard won 5 first places is as follows: harvard won 5 mrst places, 6 second places and 5 third places, giving her a total of 45 points. The Manhattan Athletic Club was next in order, with 3 firsts, 1 second and 1 third—19 points. The Trimount Athletic Club had 2 firsts and 1 second—13 points. B. A. A., 1 first, 1 second and 1 third—9 letter grammatically correct and abounding in points. The New Jersey A. C. scored only 5 points, and the New York A. C. scored but 1 point to its credit. G. R. Fearing of Harvard beat the world's indoor record for a was accomplished. They have increased our supplies high times of section of the second points. unning high jump, clearing 6 feet 24 inches, while the best previous record was 6 feet. In knowledge of the facts that we want the second heat of the 75-yard dash Shead of Harvard tied Cary's record of 7 4-5s., made on the boards at Madison Square Garden.

SPORTING NOTES.

At Sportsman's Park yesterday the picked Association team defeated the champion Blue Bells by a score of 3 goals to 1. The Blue Bells ascribe their defeat to the absence of two of their strongest players, and have challenged the picked eleven to another game. The contest between Mike Tracey of New York, James O'Nelll and H. Patterson of Aus-

raila, for \$500 and the jig-dancing champion-ship of the world was decided at San Fran-cisco. Tracey was declared the winner amid cheers. The contest created much excite-ment among the audience, and the New Yorker surprised the Australian.

NEWS OF THE MINES.

ent of the Output From the Galen and Empire City District. GALENA, Kan., Feb. 16.—The following is a statement of the output of ore from the Ga ena and Empire City district for the week

ore Ore sold.

COMPANIES.	Rough Ds. mi	Zine O Bs.	Lead O
Perry Concentrating	431,190	84,580	1,010
Murphy Concentrating Mill, No. 1	215,590	151,270	
Murphy Concentrating Mill. No. 2	147,590	234,210	
Galens Lead & Zine Co	299,000	14,750	8.000
Rockingham Mill. Blaker Mining Co.		2,600	2,000 8,680
Total	1,254,940		
	Rough Ore Sold.		
S. S. Mining & Mfg. Co	200.150	25,930	
Co	300,000	42,600	56,620
Co	37,770	95,650	83,130
Mining Co Ohio Lead & Zine	150,000		
Co	50,000		5,000
Co	17,070	8,420	2.960 6,300
Co		24,210	
Zinc Co	120,000		
Co	24,200		
Bonanza Mining & Smelting Co Other sales	200,000 155,750		
Total	1,254,940	707,620	194,080

THE SMOKE NUISANCE COMMITTEE IS STILL AT WORK.

Col. E. D. Meier Tells What Has Bee Done to Secure a Solution of the Prob-lem and What Will Likely Be Recommended to the Assembly.

The committee appointed by J. B. Case, President of the Mercantile Club, some week ago to investigate and report upon the smoke problem is still in existence, and not a thing of the past as is generally supposed. They are still corresponding with different parties and interests in relation to the matter, although they have received little encourage ment. The problem, it has been discovered by this committee, is anything but a simple one, and as investigations are made the affairs are more complicated than any one sup posed. The nature of the complications are locality, the nature of the coal that must be used for economy's sake and the apparent impracticability of any contrivance to ree smoke at anything like a nominal cost. The committee has found the manufacturers of St. Louis willing to use smoke consumers, provided some one of the many contrivances for this purpose can be rec proved to do its work thoroughly without being too expensive. These facts were brought out by the answers to the committee's circular, the nature of which was to ascertain the number of horsepower used by each concern together with the amount of coal consumed. The facts received through these answers are now being tabulated by members of the committee, and it is thought that their labors will be completed in the near future.

WHAT THE COMMITTEE PROPOSE.

Col. E. D. Meier, Chairman of the Mercantille Club Investigating Committee, was seen

at his office in the Bank of Commerce building this morning, and he explained what work had been accomplished by the commit-tee and just what the results to be expected

"The committee," said he, "have not met "The committee," said he, "have not met for a few weeks, but that is no sign that we have given up. Far from it. While we are not so hopeful of results as at the opening of the agitation, we nevertheless expect beneficial results. St. Louis, owing to its location, must burn coal from mines in the near vicinity, owing to the cost.
This makes smoke almost impossible of suppression, for the simple reason that no achine (smoke consumer) has yet been ound, that we have heard of, which operates with anything like success. Our answers to the questions presented in circular form to the manufacturers have been answered rather fully, and show that they are perfectly will-ing to use smoke consumers, provided one can be found which will operate with any degree of satisfaction. The manufacturers o gree of satisfaction. The manufacturers of St. Louis are just as anxious to suppress the smoke nuisance as are the people, but first a way must be found by which the smoke can be consumed without cesting so much that their use will be impracticable. The committee's work, up to a point of finding a suit-able consumer, is now as good as completed, but really the most important part of the work must yet be performed. Let someone produce an economical smoke consumer prove by tests its capabilities, and the question will be solved to the satisfaction of all.

ONLY OLITTERING GENERALITIES.
"Have you corresponded with any manufacturers of smoke consumers?" he was asked. "Scores of them. The answers have been glittering generalities without the least evidence of what has really been accomplished. A few flaming circulars, printed in veritable rainbow colors, accompanied by a typewritten letter grammatically correct and abounding in rhetoric, but minus facts and dates of test. They tell what their consumers have and can do, without telling where and when all this mail without correspondingly increasing our

matters little how great and successful a machine they may have in their mind, it does the committee no good, for the very reason that we are only after practicable results. The descriptions of the manufacturers are very glowing and a credit to their literary abilities, but otherwise quite disappointing. Tests with witnesses of standing are never given and without such facts we cannot accent as perwithout such facts we cannot accept as perfect a smoke consumer recommending to the Mayor and Council its compulsory use."

SMOKE IN OTHER TOWNS. "What have you learned in regart to the illeged suppression of smoke in other cities?" "We have learned a great many things of which we were not aware before," said the Colonel laughing, "It will be remembered that Chicago and Cincinnati were pointed out as being two cities where the smoke nuisance was an unknown quantity. As to Chicago, it is true that there is not so much smoke as in St. Louis. Why? Simply because they can efford true that there is not so much smoke as in St. Louis. Why? Simply because they can afford to burn anthracite coal, owing to their lake transportation. The Smoke Commissioner of Chicago gave us a glowing account of the workings of their smoke ordinance, saying it was strictly enforced. But by inquiry among the manufacturers we found that the said ordinance was a dead latter. No attempt was ordinance was a dead letter. No attempt wa

made to enforce its provisions, which requir the use of smoke consumers."

"And is Cincinnati just as badly off?" "Yes, and even worse, for the reason that she has more smoke than Chicago. Smoke consumers, we found, had been used to some extent in Cincinnati, but they have been discarded for various reasons. They have found none that will consume the smoke to an extent to justify the expense. Every make tent to justify the expense. Every make, almost, has been tested, with the invariable result of proving entirely unsatisfactory Cincinnati, like St. Louis, is appealing for a smoke consumer that will do its work thoroughly and economically, and like St. Louis, has not yet found it. But the situation is worse, I do believe than any other city of worse, I do believe, than any other city of like size in the country, and the members of the committee, I am sure, will endorse me when I say that we appeal most courteously for some inventor to show the practicability of any smoke consummer. If a man can produce such a machine constant with the strength of the stren If a man can produce such a machine—one that will not cost a fortune each year—St. Louis will become one of his best custommers, I am sure."

"RECOMMENDATIONS TO BE MADE.

"When and what kind of a report does the completive expect to make?"

"When and what kind of a report does the committee expect to make?"
"Our report will be ready in April, the earliest possible moment at which legislation can be secured. From present appearances we will not recommend an ordinance compelling the use of smoke-consumers for the very apparent reason that we cannot recommend any machine that we cannot recommend any machine that we think will give satisfaction. From all our investigations, the opinion now prevails among the members of the committee that if they succeed in reducing the smoke one-third the object of their appointment will be admirably accomplished. While some people may regard this as falling short of their expectations, I am of the opinion that if this is done



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the people will be satisfied. But first remem ber we must find a successful smoke consumer, and now have not many months in which to accomplish it. There is, however, some hope of success. Our recommendations will undoubtedly be that an ordinance mild in its tenor be passed—not one of these forceful laws that become a dead letter after they have been in use a short time.'

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COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

The inactivity of the committee at the present time is not because of any lack of interest on the part of the members. Mr. Meier, the chairman, has had sickness in his family for some time, and the members have been since the first of the year busily engaged in their private affairs. Mr. Meier is at present on the Vail jury panel and therefore has little time to devote to the smoke question. But during the coming month of March much work, it is expected, will be done. Mr. J. B. Case, who takes a deep interest in the question, is at present in the East, and when he arrives in the city tomorrow it is expected that he will bring some new ideas, which he will spring on the committee at its very first meeting. Mr. Meier wishes it distinctly understood that the question is still under consideration, and will doubtless remain so until the matter is definitely settled.

SWOPE'S

Serious Interruption to the Transmissio of Telegraph Messages. CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 16.—Last night a heavy fog settled down on this city and surro o the transmission of telegraph me to the transmission of telegraph messages and press reports. The fog is of great density south and east of Chicago for a distance of over fifty miles. Early this morning a heavy rain set in in the Ohio Valley and has added to the general interruption of the telegraph service. Cincinnati and Pittsburg report heavy rain. Codler weather is reported by the Signal Service for to-night and to-morrow. If the temperature should fall rapidly it is feared the rain may develop into a sleet storm and add greatly to the existing trouble.

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